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QUEEN VICTORIA'S LONG REIGN IS ENDED

Britain's Aged Ruler Dies With Her Children and Their Children About Her.

GREAT GRIEF FELT IN LONDON

Shortly Before She Died Victoria was Able to Say Farewell to Those About the Death Bed---Sorrow Felt in Washington ---Condolences Sent.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—6:40 p. m.—Queen Victoria died at 6:30 this evening, surrounded by her family.

OSBORNE, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—6:55 p. m.—"Her majesty the queen breathed her last at 6:30 p. m., surrounded by her children and grandchildren.

"James Ried,
"R. Douglass Powell,
"Thomas Barlow."

LONDON, Jan. 22.—7:03 p. m.—A telegram from the prince of Wales to the lord mayor, timed at Osborne, 6:45 p. m., says the queen has passed away. The text of the message was as follows:

"Osborne, Jan. 22.—6:45 p. m.—My beloved mother has just passed away, surrounded by her children and grandchildren.

"Albert Edward."

The lord mayor replied to the prince of Wales as follows:

"Your royal highness' telegram announcing the nation's great loss I have received with profound distress and grief, and have communicated this most sad information to my fellow citizens.

"Her majesty's name and memory will forever live in the hearts of her people.

"May I respectfully convey to your royal highness and to all the members of the royal family the earnest sympathy and condolence of the city of London in your great sorrow."

COWES, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—The queen is said to have bid farewell in a feeble monosyllable to her family assembled at her bedside at midday. She first recognized the prince of Wales, to whom she spoke a few words of great moment; then Emperor William and others present filed past and heard a whispered good-bye. All those in the bedroom were in tears.

London, Jan. 22.—1:40 p. m.—The gloomy faces of the crowds incessantly approaching the bulletin board at the mansion house indicate how little the public hope to receive better news of the condition of the queen. Men of all ages and conditions, women and even children are content to spend a long time in awaiting their turn to get within reading distance of the board.

As the throng moves slowly past the notice-board, those who are unable to get there personally are sending messenger boys with note books and pencils to bring them the very latest thing posted.

The grief of all is evident, and the relapse announced at 8 o'clock was only too generally anticipated. Never were there so many black ties in the city before the actual arrival of a time of general mourning, and nobody mingling with the crowds can doubt for a moment that everybody in them has a keen personal interest in the queen's condition.

Mr. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury, and the children of the duchess of Connaught, started for Osborne this afternoon. Mr. Balfour, it is said, goes as the representative of the premier, Mr. Salisbury.

The summoning of Mr. Balfour and the Connaught children was regarded as indicating that the end of Queen Victoria was fast approaching.

There was a remarkable scene outside of the Mansion house early this afternoon. On receipt of the alarming reports something resembling a groan was uttered by the hundreds of people assembled, and then some one started to sing the national anthem.

All heads were bared, and in a moment the crowds were singing "God Save the Queen" with a fervor proving how earnestly they wished for her recovery.

The passengers in passing carriages, cabs and omnibuses, joined the singing, the drivers reverently doffing their hats.

London, Jan. 22.—7:20 p. m.—The latest bulletins previous to the announcement of the queen's death, especially the message sent by the prince of Wales, dispelled the last gleam of hope, the crowds silently dispersing from in front of the mansion house, and only a few groups awaited the appearance of the final inevitable announcement.

A scrap of paper a foot square, hoisted on the wall of the mansion house at 6:58 tonight, gave the first notice to London's homeward-hurrying thousands of the death of the empress queen and the advent of a king.

Access to the bulletin was difficult by reason of the fact that excavations had been made in the course of a work of improving the street, but the bared heads of a silent group under a fitful gaze told the crowds on the bus-tops and sidewalks that the queen was no more.

A quarter of an hour later more than a thousand newsboys had invaded the streets with black-ruled newspaper, crying: "Death of the queen," while through the dark streets boomed the deep toned notes of the big bell of St. Paul's Cathedral and the bells of the city churches re-echoing the news.

Mr. Balfour's message announcing the queen's death says her majesty died peacefully.

All the theatres and places of entertainment, it is announced, will be closed indefinitely.

There is little doubt that the funeral of Queen Victoria will take place at Frogmore, though no regard to this matter had yet been announced. Her majesty was so closely related to the European court, big and little, that the gathering of royalties at the obsequies will be unprecedented.

The news of the death reached all the towns in the kingdom a few minutes after it had been received by the lord mayor of London and was quickly spread throughout the country districts by the tolling of bells.

Prince and Princess Louis of Battenborg arrived at Osborne just too late to see her majesty alive.

Parliament, it is expected, will meet at 3 o'clock tomorrow. There is a belief in London that the privy council, at which King Edward VII. will take the oath of accession, will be held in London and that his majesty will start for London without delay.

THE END FORETOLD.

London, Jan. 22.—4:35 p. m.—A bulletin posted at the Mansion house reads as follows:

"Osborne—4 p. m.—My painful duty obliges me to inform you that the life of our beloved queen is in the greatest danger.

"Albert Edward."

In reply to the prince of Wales' telegram, the lord mayor, Mr. Frank Green, dispatched the following:

"I have received your royal highness' sad intimation with profound grief, which is shared by the citizens of London, who still pray Divine Providence the irreparable loss to her majesty's devoted family and loyal subjects throughout the empire may still be averted. Will your royal highness be pleased to accept this heartfelt expression of my deep and sincere sympathy."

RECOGNIZED THE KAISER.

Berlin Jan. 22.—3:30 p. m.—The correspondent of the Associated Press here learns from an official source that Queen Victoria recognized Emperor William when the latter went to her bedside yesterday, by giving a sign of joy. She was unable to converse with him.

It is not known here how long the emperor will stay in England.

WAITING FOR THE END.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—4 p. m.—The end is very near. The prince of Wales has not left the vicinity of the queen's bed room since 9 a. m. Emperor William and all the royal family are near her majesty's bedside.

EDWARD VII.
Late Prince of Wales, Now King of Great Britain and Ireland.

With the members of the royal family gathered at the queen's bedside, the bishop of Winchester and rector of Whimmingham read prayers for those in extremis. Happily the queen was able to recognize those around her. They came to her bedside, but the physicians had warned them against attempts to speak to her.

Naturally, the family, while recognizing the claim for public information, decide that the details of the events around the death bed shall be sacred for the present and imposed the strictest secrecy upon the whole household.

The arrival of Lord Clarendon, the lord chamberlain, is considered ominous, because the arrangements for the succession to the throne will be in his hands.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE.

London, Jan. 22.—The arrangements are already practically completed for meetings of the privy council and parliament, the statutes providing that they shall assemble immediately on the death of a sovereign.

The privy councillors could gather together within a few hours. The ministers will attend, give up their seals of office, be re-sworn, receive the proclamation of the new king, pass votes of condolence and congratulation and adjourn.

After giving up their seals the ministers will receive them back from the new ruler. The privy councillors will also be sworn afresh.

Parliament will assemble within twenty-four hours of the death of the queen, in accordance with the precedent in the case of George III.

Emperor William's yacht Hohenzollern has been ordered to leave Keil immediately. She is expected to arrive at Cowes Friday. No arrangements have yet been made for Emperor William's return to Germany.

REMINISCENT OF QUEEN.

London, Jan. 22.—The papers devote columns of space to historical and personal reminiscences and the scenes and incidents of the late queen's life. Emphasis is laid on the fact that her late majesty had paid the penalty for her devotion to affairs of state. It is generally recognized that until a few days ago there was no harder worker in the kingdom. Roughly estimated, she signed 50,000 documents yearly. No dispatch of any gravity was ever issued from the foreign office until seen by the queen and the amount of hard work entailed is gathered from the fact that the foreign office handles considerably over a thousand dispatches weekly.

PRINCE OF WALES.
Late Duke of York, Now Heir Apparent to the British Throne.

After every sitting of the house of commons the government leader in the house was in the habit of forwarding to the queen an abstract of the business done. She personally attended to these and personally and frequently returned them, with marginal notes, asking for explanations.

Ellen Terry's appearance at Sandringham before the queen is recalled as being the only occasion on which her majesty ever prompted an actress. Mistaking a pause by Miss Terry for forgetfulness, the queen gave her the cue very softly.

As Miss Terry did not take the cue and the queen repeated it more loudly, the actress, suppressing her merriment, accepted the cue and proceeded with her lines.

Of pathetic interest now is the inscription on the last wreath from the queen, which was placed on the bishop of London's coffin Thursday last. It did not bear her own signature and this is the first instance on record of such a happening.

It was regarded at the time by the court officials as a sign of serious import.

Lord Clarendon, the new lord chamberlain, with Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein and the duke of Argylle, arrived at Osborne this afternoon.

It is the lord chamberlain who, with the archbishop of Canterbury, announces to the new monarch his accession to the throne.

STATE CONDOLENCES SENT.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Secretary Hay, upon being assured through the physician's certificate, as furnished him by the Associated Press, of the demise of Queen Victoria, promptly cabled the following message to Ambassador Choate at London:

"Department of State, Jan. 22, 1901—Choate, Ambassador, London—You will express to Lord Lansdowne the profound sorrow of the government and people of the United States at the death of the queen and the deep sympathy we feel with the people of the British empire in their great affliction.

(Signed.) "John Hay."

RESOLUTION IN SENATE.

In the senate this afternoon Mr. Allison offered the following resolution:

"That the death of her royal and imperial majesty, Victoria, of noble virtues and great renown, is sincerely deplored by the senate of the United States of America."

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

PRESIDENT IS INFORMED.

The news announcing the death of Queen Victoria was conveyed to President McKinley simultaneously with its receipt by the newspapers. Although he had been kept constantly advised of her condition since it became known that her case was hopeless, the news of her death was a great shock to him.

As soon as word is received from Ambassador Choate the president will send a message of condolence to King Edward VII.

The official announcement is expected at any moment.

FLAGS AT HALF MAST.

The flag on the executive mansion was placed at half mast at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

So far as any record goes this is the first time in the history of this country that this mark of respect has been paid to the memory of a foreign ruler.

President McKinley has sent the following message of condolence to King Edward VII:

"Telegram sent from Washington, Jan. 22, 1901.—His Majesty the King, Osborne House, Isle of Wight: I have received with profound sorrow the lamentable tidings of the death of her majesty the queen.

"Allow me, sir, to offer my sincere sympathy and that of the American people in your personal bereavement and in the loss Great Britain has suffered in the death of its venerable and illustrious sovereign, whose noble life and beneficent influence have promoted the peace and won the affection of the world.

"William McKinley."

SORROW IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The announcement of the death of Queen Victoria was received with universal sorrow at the many foreign embassies and legations in Washington, and nowhere was the sentiment of bereavement more directly or poignantly felt than at the British embassy.

Lord Pauncefote had expected that the end could not be long deferred, and had been prepared for the sad intelligence that the queen was no more; but it came to him almost as a personal affliction, for it was only a few months ago that he was the guest of the queen at Osborne, when he received from her hands his elevation to the peerage.

Aside from this her majesty had frequently shown most gracious consideration to the ambassador and Lady Pauncefote, inviting them to Windsor and to Osborne for visits which were something more than brief official exchanges.

On the last occasion when Lord Pauncefote saw the queen at Osborne she was in excellent health, considering her years, and her mental faculties were keen and observant. The foreign office has kept the embassy advised by cable of the progress of the queen's condition, and from these despatches it became evident some days ago that the queen's death was near at hand.

Official business proceeds as usual, for in the eye of the law the national existence is in no wise interrupted by the death of the sovereign.

At the head of the main staircase of the embassy hangs a superb oil portrait of mammoth proportions, showing her majesty soon after her coronation. It is by the famous painter, Sir George Hayten, court painter during the early days of the Victorian reign, and is a counterpart of that in the grand corridor at Windsor palace. In the ambassador's library hangs another portrait of the queen, showing her with the royal diadem on her brow.

HAS SMALLPOX.

Dr. McOscar yesterday afternoon reported a case of smallpox, the patient being Mrs. DeLagrange, at 47 Lasalle street. A special meeting of the board of health was called this morning and stringent measures were taken to prevent a spread of the disease. It is known that there have been a number of exposures and these the board of health is trying to locate as speedily as possible. Special placards have been printed containing the following legend: "The Within Residents Have Been Exposed to Smallpox and Quarantine Laws are in Force Here. Any Violation of These Laws Will Be Followed by Prosecution." These placards have been placed upon three or four houses and others will follow. It was ordered also that all school children must present a certificate showing that they have been successfully vaccinated within five years and all teachers of parochial and public schools have been notified that this regulation would be rigidly enforced.

Anna Rackham was granted a divorce from Ernest Rackham.

ROBERT C. BELL DEAD

The Eminent Lawyer and Citizen Passed from Earth After Long Suffering.

CLOSE OF AN ILLUSTRIOUS LIFE

Hon. Robert C. Bell, citizen, soldier, jurist, scholar and orator, is gone from earth. The end came at 4:45 o'clock Monday afternoon. For hours only the feeblest spark of life had bound the sufferer to this world; it grew fainter and fainter, died at last, and the distinguished patient sank peacefully into the dreamless sleep of death. There was no struggle—only a slight gasp, almost imperceptible even to the anxious watchers at the bedside. The patient had been unconscious for some days, and it had been plainly evident that the end could not long be deferred. The marvelous recuperative powers so often manifested during Mr. Bell's illness were exhausted, and weakened vitality could no longer maintain the unequal struggle. Gathered at the bedside were his devoted wife, her nephew, Hon. Arthur Brady, of Muncie; Dr. C. E. Barnett, his physician, and the nurses. Mr. Bell's law partner, N. D. Doughman, had been at the residence shortly before, but was not present as the senator breathed his last. Mr. Bell's age was 56 years, 6 months and 8 days.

BATTLE WITH DISEASE.

Mr. Bell's death came after a protracted illness. For months the distinguished lawyer had been bravely battling against a complication of ailments, and he was a sick man long before his idomitable will power could be persuaded to yield and he placed himself in the care of a physician. Mr. Bell was a tremendous worker; he spared neither physical nor mental powers in carrying forward his professional practice, but the overtaxed constitution yielded at last in a collapse that closed a career of unusual brilliance. Mr. Bell has been confined to the house since early in November, but even in the earlier part of this period he insisted upon looking after a portion of his professional matters, and did some work while lying upon a bed of illness.

Early in September last Mr. Bell sustained a fall at his home, and it was the opinion of his physicians that this fall was the primary cause of a meningeal trouble, which, though at first of a mild type, later developed to a more pronounced degree. Though not in his usual vigor, Mr. Bell was able to be about and, as had always been his custom, took an active interest in the political campaign. The night previous to the election, in conformity with his custom for many years, Mr. Bell went to Arcola to deliver the closing address of the campaign, but on reaching that place was too ill to attempt to speak. On election night, though very weak, Mr. Bell entertained a number of invited guests to receive election returns. The following day he was compelled to take to his bed, and from it, it might be said, he never arose.

WENT TO THE SPRINGS.

There was for a time, however, some encouraging indications of improvement, and his wonderful recuperative powers seemed to hold out hope of permanent restoration. With his physician, Dr. W. W. Barnett, he went to French Lick springs and spent several weeks at that resort in the hope of recuperation. There was, in some ways, an improvement noted and he was brought home.

Soon after his return Mr. Bell arose one night unnoticed by his attendant and passed out of his room into the hall. The exposure resulted in a slight attack of pneumonia, which, in the patient's weakened condition, induced a general and rapid decline. His temperature rose to a dangerous degree, and medical skill was powerless to afford more than temporary relief to the recurring prostrations. The pneumonia left him much weaker, decline was even more marked, and the enfeebled constitution seemed powerless to stay its encroachments. With the weakness came a local paralysis that precluded the taking of any nourishment since Friday. When the patient's condition became alarming, Dr. S. V. Clevenger, an eminent Chicago specialist in nervous troubles, was called in counsel. Dr. Clevenger reached the patient on Saturday, and his diagnosis confirmed that already made by Dr. Barnett—that Mr. Bell was suffering from traumatic meningitis, with a brain lesion. The condition offered no hope and sorrowing friends were told, as tenderly as possible, of the appraching shadow.

His passing was peaceful, and the sorrow at his going is universal. He was most widely known and universally esteemed, for in Robert C. Bell were combined the graces of manhood and of scholarship, of brilliance and of affability that drew all men to him and made every acquaintance a friend.

HON. ROBERT C. BELL.

BAR ASSOCIATION.

Judge Zollars, president of the Allen County Bar association, has called a meeting of that organization to be held at the court house at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning to take suitable action upon the death of Mr. Bell and to arrange for attending the funeral.

THE FUNERAL SERVICE.

Arrangements for the funeral services were practically completed today. There will be brief, simple services at the residence on West Wayne street Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Crosley, pastor of the Universalist church at Indianapolis, will conduct the service. Rev. Crosley was formerly a resident of Fort Wayne, and he and Mr. Bell were warm personal friends.

At this service opportunity will be given to the countless friends of the dead lawyer to take a last look at his well-known face. The pall-bearers will be eight in number, six from this city, one from Muncie, and one

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HONORED AS LAWYER, LOVED AS A FRIEND.

PRAISES HIS ATTAINMENTS

EXPRESSIONS FROM MEN WHO KNEW HIM BEST.

There is no circle from that of eminence to the plain citizen in the ordinary walks of life in which tidings of Senator Bell's death was not received with a deep sense of personal loss. His acquaintance was so extensive and his friendship so broad as to include within its scope men in every station of life, but among men prominent in national affairs, and among Mr Bell's associates in professional life, the sorrow is touchingly marked.

MR. BRYAN'S TRIBUTE.

Among those earliest notified was William Jennings Bryan, the democratic leader, who quickly responded in words of tribute and condolence. Mr. Bryan's telegram follows:

"Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 21.—Have just received your telegram announcing the death of the Hon. R. C. Bell. I am pained to learn of the loss of so excellent a citizen, so loyal a democrat, and so good a friend. Please express to Mrs. Bell my sincere sympathy. W. J. Bryan."

FROM HON. S. E. MORSS.

Another of Mr. Bell's warm personal friends was Hon. S. E. Morss, of the Indianapolis Sentinel, who telegraphed as follows:

"Mr. Bell was one of the most gifted men and one of the choicest spirits it was ever my privilege to know. His talents were varied and qualified him to shine on any field or in any forum. He had quick perception and a wonderful retentive memory. His fertility of resources and readiness of speech rendered him almost invincible as a parliamentary leader, and were among the secrets of his great success as a trial lawyer. He was personally one of the most winning and loveable of men. He loved nature, he loved books, and he loved his fellow-man. There was never a more delightful companion than he, before the heavy hand of suffering had been laid upon him and dimmed his natural gayety and brilliancy.

"My mind is full of the tenderest recollections of him and I shall always hold his memory dear. It can be said of him as Ingersoll said of his brother, that 'If every one for whom he had done a kindness were to throw a blossom upon his tomb, he would sleep 'neath a wilderness of flowers.' Truly his life was gentle 'and the elements so mixed in him that nature might stand up and say to all the world 'This was a man.'

"S. E. Morss."

THE BENCH AND BAR.

Judge Edward O'Rourke said:

"Mr. Bell had many gifts. He could have made his mark on many lines. His mind was quick to apprehend a truth and make it his own. He was by nature and training well fitted for his profession. He was a good lawyer and successful advocate. If at times he seemed not forceful, it was because of his physical condition and not from the matter or style of his argument. When he first came to the bar of Fort Wayne I noticed that he was not a man of great physical endurance. A long, tedious trial was a heavy drain on his energies and left him worn and tired. As years passed by his physical health did not improve; rest and recreation was needful to him. Without some relaxation it was impossible for him to perform the professional work constantly demanding his attention. His recuperative powers, however, were great. At times it was marvelous how rapidly he regained his health and strength and was himself again. He was well versed in the principle of the law and in every respect a very successful practitioner. His reading was extensive. He loved books and kept well informed as to the current literary productions. His taste was discriminating and accurate. None of the gems and good things of the literary world escaped him. He loved science and philosophy, and in the consideration of the latter he manifested penetrating power and intuition to a remarkable degree. He was most genial and companionable. He loved society and was very much attached to his friends and associates. I think that his happiest hours were when he had his friends around him. He loved his home and there he delighted to entertain his friends.

"His experience among men was large. His conversation about men and measures of public import were very entertaining and instructive. He had a fund of reminiscence and anecdote that were charming as he related them in his inimitable manner. He was gentle and enjoying in his manners and in every respect a very attractive man.

"His conduct in court was courteous and exemplary. He knew what was fit and appropriate on every occasion. While alive to what is due from one man to another, and would allow no one to surpass him in kindness and civility, he never gave up his rights or permitted his clients to suffer for want of clear presentation of their causes nor for lack of manly and courageous determination in their support. No man appreciated more the example set by the masters of the profession in their maintenance of human rights and in defense of the friendless and forsaken.

"He will be missed greatly by the bench and bar and his friends will duly mourn his loss."

HON ALLEN ZOLLARS.

Judge Zollars said:

"I knew Mr. Bell when he was deputy United States district attorney, and quite a young man, and of course have known him since he came to Fort Wayne, in 1872, both as a man and as a lawyer. I have been engaged in cases with him, and in cases upon the opposite side. His most pronounced characteristics were quickness and brilliancy. He seems to have had a memory that retained about everything he ever heard or read. All that he knew seemed to be at his immediate command, and he could use his knowledge upon almost any occasion to the best advantage. His public addresses indicated that he was an extensive reader of general literature. His strength as a lawyer manifested itself most prominently in the trial of cases, both before the court and jury. As a trial lawyer, he was among the strongest. He had the tact and knowledge of human nature which made him strong in jury trials. His quick perceptions enabled him to turn to advantage all of the suggestions of an associate, and to comprehend the probable force and effect of points and evidence on the other side. His brilliancy at once attracted attention when he became a member of the state senate, and he quickly became one of the prominent men of the state, and remained such until his death. He was brave and fearless in the expression of his political convictions, and prominent in the councils of his party.

"I need not speak of him as a man in this community, where he was so well known. He had numerous friends, many of whom were very closely and devotedly attached to him."

HON. W. G. COLERICK.

Judge Walpole G. Colerick said:

"Mr. Bell's death is a distinct loss to the legal profession. He was certainly one of the most eminent members of the bar, and his distinction was due to his abilities. He was a strong advocate, his knowledge of law was profound, and his conclusions were usually accurate. As a man Mr. Bell had many friends, and he loved them. He didn't like his enemies. If he was a friend to a man he would go to any length to be of service. He had a brilliant mind, was remarkably quick of apprehension, this faculty almost amounting to intuition. He was a scholarly, able man, and the news of his death is painful, indeed."

HON. S. R. ALDEN.

Judge Alden said:

"In the sunshine of life unconscious praise of our own is on our lips, and friendship's spring flows eulogy.

"But when the spirit's wing still shadows us, ere its cast-off shell has been laid away, expression fails, or, without effort, sounds alone in sorrow.

"Of the political battles won and preferment acepted or passed by our friend, I cannot speak, having eschewed politics. But Mr. Bell as lawyer, man and companion, I knew for many years intimately.

"In some of my hardest legal contests we either stood shoulder to shoulder or led opposing forces.

"For quickness of perception and readiness of apprehension, I never knew his superior. He could assimilate, digest and appropriate from a mass of fact and law placed before him all that was useful in a fraction of the time required by the average educated and trained lawyer.

"This power with a suave and effective manner, unusual command of good English, choice of telling, expressions and electrifying facility in the cut and thrust of colloquy, made him one of the most brilliant advocates. And, while like Ithoriel's spear, his point always reached the joint of his adversary's armor, it was never tipped with venom.

"As a companion, whether with children, an entire family circle, a gathering of men, or in pursuit of simple sports with one or several friends, he was what the occasion demanded—companionable and hardly excelled.

"By nature our friend who is gone was blessed with qualities and capacities that fitted him to fill and grace any position from the simplest path of private life to its highest public positions."

HON. W. P. BREEN.

Hon. William P. Breen said:

"My acquaintance with Mr. Bell began when I entered, as a student, the office of the firm of which he was a member. From that day until now he was my friend. He was a manly sided man and a natural lawyer. In my eyes he was an ideal lawyer. The stores of his mind and his cerebral power were always in a state of preparedness for action. He appreciated to the full the proposition that work makes success at the bar and in the trials of his cases he esteemed no labor too arduous for the proper preparation and presentation of his client's cause.

"The grasp and ready application of the fundamental principles of the law mark the great lawyer; they wer conspicuous characteristics of Mr. Bell. His career at the bar was one of marked success. As a trial lawyer few men in Indiana were his peers. As an arguer before a jury there was always a sparkle and a freshness about his forceful speeches which attracted crowds to hear his appeals, which were always models of forensic eloquence. He was a student, not only in his profession, but in history, and along all the lines of literature. He was notably manly. No man better understood and more scrupulously practiced the proprieties of his profession. No brother lawyer ever whispered that he did an unmanly or unprofessional act. Wherever there was a gathering of lawyers, whether of high or mediocre degree, he was the charm of the circle.

"His death has removed one of the greatest lawyers of our state, a citizen of ennobling ideals, a man whose integrity and charity were noteworthy and a faithful, unchanging, royal-hearted, sweet-souled friend."

HON. H. C. HANNA.

Attorney H. C. Hanna said:

"Mr. Bell was the best lawyer and the best friend I ever knew. I don't know that I can add anything to that. If I could I would do it. You can pay him no compliment too glowing for his deserts. The highest praise you might accord him would receive my sanction. You might say of him anything that is good. You might attribute to him all the manly virtues and most admirable traits, and you would not be wrong."

HON. SAMUEL L. MORRIS.

Hon. S. L. Morris, for many years in close professional association with Senator Bell, said:

"In the year 1881, at the invitation of Robert C. Bell, I became a member of the firm of Coombs, Bell & Morris. For a period of more than seventeen years I was associated with Mr. Bell in the practice of law, and became thoroughly acquainted with him, not only as a man, but as a citizen and a lawyer. At the time of the commencement of our partnership he was in the zenith of his power.

"Mr. Bell at all times was a man of most pleasing address. His great power over people was mainly attributable to the fact that he always had the happy faculty of knowing what to say to people, and how to say it and make them feel that he was their friend. His expression was open—his manner courteous— he was the most approachable of men, and while a fluent talker, was equally a good listener. It made little difference, whether he was with the rich, the middle class or the poor. With all he was equally at home, and yet never lost in his association with people a certain dignity, which was ever present with him.

"Mr. Bell was one of the most generous of men. He was ever ready to give—ever ready to lend assistance, and among the younger members of the profession he not only stood very high, but they all liked him. As a partner he was a most pleasant person. During the many years of our association, I never knew him to speak harshly, to be impatient, or find fault. He was always ready to divide responsibility, and never complained, if mistakes occurred, even though the results were somewhat harmful.

Mr. Bell was a man of very high courage. While he was an approachable man, yet he was exceedingly quick to resent an injury. No one ever questioned his courage, or his ability to take care of himself, especially if aroused.

"As a lawyer, Mr. Bell was one of the most remarkable men I ever knew in the profession. Nature had endowed him with great mental powers and an exceedingly keen perception. His memory was most retentive. While he did not enjoy the detailed labor, necessary to all litigation, yet he would for hours consider a cause, listen to discussion of authorities, and go over the facts, interview the witnesses, and this being done, he became and was a most formidable opponent in a lawsuit. He was a ready and expert examiner and cross-examiner of witnesses—he was quick on his feet and a ready debater, a fluent and fervid speaker.

"As a citizen Mr. Bell was always open-hearted, ever ready to support public enterprise and was connected with many public works which were of great benefit to his own citizens. In the death of Mr. Bell, Fort Wayne loses a valuable citizen, the bar one of its most prominent attorneys, and everyone will regret his death."

HON. JAMES M. BARRETT.

Hon. J. M. Barrett, when asked by The Sentinel for an estimate of Mr. Bell's life and character, said:

"Mr. Bell was endowed by nature with extraordinary capabilities. He was in many ways the most gifted man I ever knew. With a strong physical constitution that would have enabled him to endure the continuous labor which falls to most men, there was no degree of eminence in the law, society or politics to which he could not have attained. His perceptions were marvelously quick and accurate. He was exceedingly fond of and his knowledge of the best literature was extensive. His memory was wonderfully retentive, and once a principle of law, an apt quotation from an author, or an entire poem, was ever recorded on the tablets of his memory it was ever afterwards at his ready command. In debate he was always ready, resourceful and eloquent. As a trial lawyer he had few superiors anywhere and no equal among my acquaintances at the bar. He could enter upon a trial of a difficult cause with little or no preparation and absorb more of the law and the facts during the trial than the ordinary lawyer could acquire in weeks of study and preparation. This power of quick and accurate comprehension, often amounting almost to intuition, was one of Mr. Bell's marked characteristics. His extensive knowledge of men and books, his genial personality, his keen sense of humor and ready wit, coupled with a kindly disposition, made him one of the most companionable and popular men of the state."

HIS LAW PARTNER.

Mr. Bell's law partner, Hon. N. D. Doughman, said:

"It is yet hard to realize that my friend and business partner, Robert C. Bell, is dead. When he passed away no more kindly and generous spirit ever took its flight. I am yet too much oppressed by the shock and sorrow of his death to speak of him. I will not attempt to refer to the many qualities that made him a superior among men; in some respects the superior of any man I have ever known.

"No man occupied a higher place in the esteem and admiration of the people among whom he lived than he. No man had more loyal and true friends than he. No man was more loyal and true to his friends than he. His greatest pleasure was to minister to their needs or their enjoyments. He rose from the farm to a place of distinction and honor attained by few men of his state.

"Nature was as generous with him as was he with his fellow man. He was gifted with powers of intellect that few men have possessed. A man of fine education and most extensive reading, he was a most enjoyable companion.

"I would say of him as did his favorite poet, Robert Burns, say of his friend:

"An honest man here lies at rest
As e'er God with his image blest.
The friend of man, the friend of truth;
The friend of age, and guide of youth;
Few hearts like his with virtue warmed
Few heads with knowledge so informed;
If there's another world he lives in bliss;
If there is none he made the best of this."

HIS PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Fred C. Jenne, private secretary to Mr. Bell, said:

"Mr. Bell was a strong believer and observer of the principle that 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' Not only did he practice this doctrine in the giving of pecuniary aid to those in distress and in need, but also in the giving of kind words of encouragement wherever needed. He was approached almost daily by some one wanting assistance in one way or another, and no one deserving ever came to him asking a favor and went away empty-handed. He was approachable upon any subject and polite and courteous to all, be he high or low. Agreeable and sociable at all times, he made his employe feel more like his companion than his servant. He was mindful of the welfare of those under him and seldom let an opportunity pass without expressing his appreciation of any extra effort on the part of the clerks. No one will miss Mr. Bell's cheery voice and kind words more than those who have had the pleasure of being in his employ."

JUDGE JOHN MORRIS.

The venerable Judge John Morris, one of Mr. Bells' earlier law partners in Fort Wayne, said:

"No man could be more missed by the members of the bar than Mr. Bell. He was a good layyer, a true man, a generous and devoted friend. He felt kindly towards everybody, and preferred to oblige all, the humblest as readily, as generously and as truly as the most prominent and popular. He formed his opinions of men by what they did, estimating their worth at its true value, and unhesitatingly giving credit to those who deserved it. He envied none; he respected all, and the humblest among his acquaintances was received with the same kindness as the more fortunate, though, perhaps, not more deserving. Mr. Bell was extremely popular; he was esteemed by all and disliked by none. He was in the broadest sense of the term a true, kind, generous, devoted friend. He never lost a friend, because he was devotedly true."

COL. R. S. ROBERTSON.

Speaking from a long and intimate friendship with Mr Bell Col. R. S. Robertson said:

"I have known him ever since he came to Fort Wayne and have enjoyed his friendship as well as my professional intercourse with him, which at times has been quite extensive. The general trend of expression in regard to his character already given by members of the bar meets my hearty concurrence. I considered Mr. Bell a lawyer of remarkable brilliancy and readiness, and withal honorable and upright. His word in connection with any proceedings he had in court was as good as some men's bond. He was of a lovable nature and disposition, and as true to his friends as the needle to the pole. He was, in my judgment, capable of filling, and filling well, a high position in society, at the bar, in politics and in state affairs."

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Mrs. Haven's Second Letter.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to express my gratitude for what your medicine has done for me. I suffered for four years with womb trouble. Every month I flowed very badly. I got so bad that I could hardly do my work. Was obliged to lie down the most of the time. I doctored for a long time, but obtained no relief. I began using your remedies—**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** Blood Purifier, Sanative Wash and Liver Pills—and now feel like a new woman."—MRS. EMMA HAVEN, 2508 South Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa. (Feb. 1, 1900.)

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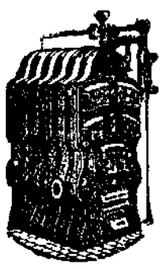

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LOCAL LINES.

Ed. M. Wilson is transacting business in Ligonier.

A. Mergentheim is spending a few days in Chicago.

W. L. Clark, of Columbia City, is in Fort Wayne today.

W. W. Orrock is transacting business at Cadillac, Mich.

Miss Bernadette Blee has returned from a visit at Aboite.

Frank McBennett, of Chicago, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Miss Laura Peltier has returned from a visit in New York city.

Miss Carrie Tinkham, of Leo, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Tinkham.

Miss Sadie Rockhill is visiting friends in Chicago for a few days.

Mrs. I. Aaron, of Buffalo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L Falk.

Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, K. of P., will give a luncheon and smoker this evening.

Miss Emma Hughes, of Walnut street, is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

The Athena Thimble club will be entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Ralph Sharp.

Mrs. L. P. Hulburd has returned from a visit in Green Springs and other points in Ohio.

Miss Emma Rothschild, of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Aaron Rothschild.

Miss Bessie Colerick has returned from a visit of several weeks with friends in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Phil H. Werstein, of 16 East Williams street, who has been quite ill with grip, is convalescent.

Mrs E. W. Dodez will return from Champaign, Ill., her former home, tomorrow, after an extended visit.

Miss Hanker returns today from Chicago, where she has been purchasing favors for her next german

John W. White and daughter, Virginia, have gone to Washington, D. C., and will visit in Old Point Comfort.

The Misses Henrietta and Louise Eckart left today for Mansfield, O., for a month's vacation to visit friends.

Mrs. George Likley, of 295 West Jefferson street, lost a $10 bill upon Calhoun street, or in some of the stores yesterday.

Joseph Clark, declared insane and not yet accepted by the asylum at Richmond, has been removed to the county infirmary.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew McDarby, of 22 West Jefferson street, fell and fractured his left arm yesterday.

George Stallkamp, Charles A. Lang and Miss Lillie Lang, of Delphos, spent Sunday in the city the guests of Miss Alice Carroll.

Miss Mary Louise Hazzard, of Peoria, Ill., is spending a few days in the city. Miss Hazzard spoke at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Smith, of Sioux City, Ia., were guests of honor at a small company given last evening by Mrs. H. G. Granger.

Mrs. McNutt, of 107 Lafayette street, assisted by Mesdames Majors, Tibbetts and McLeish, entertained Queen Esther lodge this afternoon.

The resignations of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Woods as readers for the Christian Science chuch were accepted at a meeting of the congregation last evening.

Miss Wheelhouse, of Chicago, and M. S. Benedict, of Syracuse, N. Y., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Morlan, have returned to their respective homes.

Peter Ofenloch, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Draths, of Chicago, were united in marriage in that city. Mr. Ofenloch is proprietor of a grocery on South Hanna street.

A meeting of the choral union of the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ will be held this evening. A meeting of the men of the church will be held on Friday evening.

Miss Ada Bowser entertained at progressive carroms last evening in compliment to Miss Fannie Russell, of Grand Rapids. Prizes were won by Miss Edna Sauer and Frank Bechtol.

George Streicher, the Aveline House barber, is having placed in his shop an apparatus operated by liquid air, to be used in drying the faces and hair of patrons after a shave or hair cut.

Prof. Jared G. C. Troop, who delivered an interesting lecture on Thackery at the high school last week, will deliver a similar lecture some time next month under the auspices of the Shakespeare club.

Floyd Daineaugh, of Benton Harbor, Mich., is the guest of Miss Felts, of Heustis avenue. Mr. Daineaugh was first lieutenant of company I, Thirty-third Michigan volunteers, in the war with Spain.

The allowing heads of committees have been appointed to take charge of the coming state convention of the Elks to be held in this city: Committee an advertising, Louis Heilbroner; social session, Sid Hubbard, music and musical entertainments, E. C. Rankin; parades, William Meyer, jr.; subscriptions, Henry Monning; carnival day, John Mohr, jr.; decorations, John B. Reuss; general reception, G. Will Wilson. The heads will select their own assistants.

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A SUBSTANTIAL INSTITUTION.

The semi-annual meeting of the directors of the Tri-State Building and Loan association was held yesterday in the rooms of the association, and much routine business was transacted. The financial report showed a most flattering condition of affairs, the showing being the best ever made by the association. The financial report showed that the assets had increased $250,000 during the past six months, the present assets being $2,500,000. The officers of the association are: President, G. W. Pixley; vice president, D. N. Foster; secretary, C. A. Wilding; treasurer, George W. Bell; attorney, Judge Vesey. There are nineteen directors. The Tri-State Building and Loan association is a strong and substantial financial institution, operated by Fort Wayne capital, and an institution of which our citizens may well feel proud.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

William L. Lesh, of Bluffton, this morning filed in the United States court here a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. He is a teamster, and the liabilities are placed at $1,345.71, with assets of $588. Shappe & Sturgis are attorneys.

THE WAYFARING MAN.

Though a Fool Would Have to Draw the Same Conclusion.

"'Coffee soup' was a common dish on our table during my boyhood. My family were farmers and we used to have early breakfast, then a lunch at 10 and at 3 p. m., beside the regular meals. We always had the coffee pot on the stove and 'coffee soup' was a regular part of each meal.

"I very well remember when 11 years old, overhearing my teacher say of me, 'the most nervous child I ever saw.' I was a constant sufferer with dyspepsia, sour stomach, and indigestion in its worst form, belching, etc. Finally a liver trouble came on and I had three different attacks of gall stones.

"In addition to this I was a complete nervous wreck, sleeping but very little at night. I was thin, sallow, and exhausted, with a bilious complexion. After all these years of suffering, when I reached the age of thirty it gradually dawned on me, three years ago, that I was a coffee fiend and a coffee wreck.

"Some one told me to quit coffee and go to using Postum Food Coffee. I am a professional man now, doing a large amount of mental work. Within a short time after leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee, I began to improve. Now I am proud to say that the indigestion and dyspepsia have disappeared. The liver and stomach are sound. I sleep like a log and have gained thirty pounds in flesh.

"My spirits are at the top notch. I am fresh, rugged and rosy. The old dull, sallow complexion is gone. My habits are in every particular the same as in the years before, except that I have abandoned the coffee habit for all time. Am I not right in drawing the conclusion that the wayfaring man, though a fool, would have to draw, that the change is entirely due to leaving off coffee and the use of Postum Food Coffee?

"I have a friend, Mr. Frank Furbush, who was as bad a wreck as I, with like symptoms, plus excessive nausea and vomiting. Six months of no coffee and the use of Postum has put him right. He is now as fresh as a new born babe. His wife, who was also a sufferer from coffee, has recovered, and they are both in a fine condition of health, but I was compelled to hold a coffin before them, metaphorically, before I could scare them out of the coffee habit. Please omit my name." Name given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

LOCAL NEWS.

Merton Epstein, of Toledo, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Miss Anna Schiemer entertained the Monday evening club last night.

Mrs. Norah Gause is in the city in the interests of the Humane society.

Mrs. C. S. Bash will entertain a company of friends at cards this evening.

The members of the Standard club will enjoy an informal hop on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Evans entertained a few friends informally last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Werts, of Chicago, who have been the guests of Mrs. C. C. Vesseriat and duaghters, have returned home.

The College Place Improvement company has purchased from the heirs of the late Frank Alderman the property formerly owned by him in the new plat.

Col. D. N. Foster and George H. Oilar have returned from Grand Rapids, Mich., where they attended the furniture exhibition, which is held in that city semi-annually.

Thomas R. Nesbit, of Memphis, Tenn., has returned home after a visit with friends in the city. Mr. Nesbit will bring his family here in the spring and make Fort Wayne his home.

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WANTED—A domestic at 128 E. Main St. 22-3t

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WANTED—Washings to do at home; will call for and deliver same. At 155 Wallace. 19-tf

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WANTED—A German girl for general housework. Inquire at Mrs. Henry Gerberding, 485 E. Washington St. 22-2t

WANTED—An Idea—The wheat-binding machine is a success. A corn harvester would pay. W. G. Burns, Patent Attorney, 80 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Every man, woman, and child to call at the Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000. Interest paid on deposits. 8tf

WANTED—Mrs. Fitzgerald's employment office, 39 W Washington St., have first-class girls and good housekeepers wanting places, in or out of city; places waiting for dining room girls out of city; good stenographer wants place. 16-tf

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. 24 W. Berry St. 1-8-1m

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, $10.00; 4-room flat, $9.00. Enquire 224 Lafayette St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with bath and gas. Inquire, 22 West Main St. 12-1mo.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage at No. 9 Hough street. Inquire at rooms 1 and 2, Pixley-Long Bldg.

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished front room at 110 W. Jefferson St. Very desirable for gentleman. 21t4

FOR RENT—Pleasant rooms, single or en suite, with privilege of bath, and board if desired, 15 Clay St., near Berry. 7-tf

FOR RENT—The two store rooms fronting on Berry street, in Ninde block, northwest corner of Berry and Harrison streets. Inquire at the Old National bank. 8-tf

FOR RENT—About February 10, two modern seven-room cottages, one-half block east of Reservoir park, on Creighton avenue. Inquire at 146 East DeWald street. 19-6t

FOR RENT—A pleasant furnished room with board; can also accommodate a few table boarders; bath and all conveniences; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington St. 6-1mo

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FOR RENT—No. 224 West Creighton ave.; nice for small family; $10. Also No. 401 South Hanna St., 8 rooms and barn; reasonable. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank 7tf

FOR RENT—A store room; 40 Maumee Ave, which has been occupied continuously for ten years as a grocery; living rooms very convenient and a part of the building; rent reasonable. Inquire at 42 Maumee Ave. 3-tf

FOR RENT—Dwellings Nos. 187 W. Berry St., 273 W. Wayne St., 330 W. Washington St., 208 W. DeWald St., 32 E. Berry St., office rooms; 33 St. Mary's Ave.; property to sell and money to loan. Schrader & Wilson, No. 7 Court St. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either on Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1069, new 'phone 10tf

Miss Kate Shea has gone to Chicago for a visit of a few weeks.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—An upright piano; good as new; a bargain. Call at 10 Hurd St. 22-tf

FOR SALE—160 acres, 7 miles from Fort Wayne. Address Fred Rolland, Rural route No. 6, city. 1-15 2m d w

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18-tf

FOR SALE—New, modern residence on West Washington boulevard, only $4,500. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Two houses on West Third street; pavement and all improvements paid. Inquire, 120 West Third street. 22t2

FOR SALE—A choice farm, south of city; belongs to heirs and must sell; it is certainly a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage, with barn, West Williams street; pavement paid; only $1,450. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I will sell the Updike residence, 46 Huestis avenue, for Ohio parties, regardless of value. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Eighty-one acre farm, suitable for dairy, three miles s. w. of city, near McMaken farm; only $55 per acre. W. E. Doud, over old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Some choice building lots on West Creighton, Fairfield and South Broadway; finest residence location. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—New 11 room, thoroughly modern residence, on West Main St., first block east of bridge; will go at a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Meat Market; in a good location; doing good business; reason for selling owner leaving city. Address Meat Market, care Sentinel. 22-d-5t-w-1t

FOR SALE—Business property on Calhoun street, near Columbia; for price and terms call on Lennart & Zorbaugh, No. 81 Calhoun St., second floor. 22t6

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and top buggy; horse seven years old, good driver and safe; outfit in good condition; will sell for $100; worth more money. Call at 415 S. Calhoun street. 2-tf

FOR SALE—Good 7 room house, with lot 36x149 feet; one block west of Calhoun, between Berry and Brackenridge; $2,600. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Four Caligraph typewriters at $25 each; as good as new; one Blickensderfer at $20. We buy, sell, rent and repair typewriters at Libbing & Co., 39 E. Main St.

FOR SALE—Two-story residence on W. Creighton ave., near Fairfield; price, $2,100; the best bargain offered in this city for months. Lennart & Zorbaugh, No. 81 Calhoun St., second floor. 22t6

FOR SALE—Bargains—3½ acres, 9 room house, fine location, near city; will take city property in part payment. Vacant and improved property in all parts of the city; some good bargains. J. T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-11-1m

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, JAN. 22, 1901.

TONIGHT.

Machinists—Regular meeting of No. 70 at 138 Calhoun street, third floor.

Plasterers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Pearl and Harrison streets, second floor.

Steam Engineers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Main and Clinton streets, third floor.

Women's Label League—Regular meeting of No. 17 at 27 East Berry street, third floor.

City Council—Regular meeting in city hall.

Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne No. 110, Knights of Pythias; St. Juliam Council No. 87, C. B. L.; Fort Wayne No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp No. 3127, Modern Woodmen of America; Wayne Castle No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Degree of Honor No. 2; Starlight Council, Order of Chosen Friends; Home No. 342, F. & A. M.; Allen No. 29, Degree of Honor; Daniel O'Connel Council No. 263, C. B. L.; Deborah No. 110, D. of R.; Darius Council, Princes of Jerusalem.

Masonic Temple—Week's events:
Tuesday Evening—The Tyrolean Concert Company, under auspices of the Women's Club League.
Thursday Evening—"Miss Hobbs."

Evangelistic Services—At Bethany Presbytrian church, by Rev. Frank Miller; at Wayne street M. E. church, by Rev. J. Fenwick Reed.

Mr. Rosewater, as well as other busy Nebraska gentlemen, would be glad to get exclusive information from Uncle Shelby Cullom as to how he did the job so neatly.

That West Point investigation closed in a blaze of good felling. The cadets have sworn off, the congressional committee declares itself more than satisfied, and the whole atmosphere is pleasant. From which we are at liberty to conclude that no one will be hazed again until the next time.

Another deadly French duel has resulted in a scratch on one duelist's arm and a general destruction of fine shirt sleeves. But the honor of Count de Lubersac and Baron Robert Rothschild is satisfied. When honor can thus be vindicated it might be better served by a match in potato digging.

The expansion of this country from within is bound to come, whether our expansion abroad is much or little. The pressure of population will in time seize upon all lands of whatever character, and extensive and valuable forest areas, unless protected in some way by the co-operation of the state and national governments, will be denuded of timber and left barren and worthless. What is wanted for the future is a broader and more intelligent and comprehensive land policy than that which has prevailed in the past.

DEATH OF ROBERT C. BELL.

The death of Robert Clark Bell will strike a responsive chord of sorrow in every person who knew him. Fort Wayne will regret profoundly the loss of this distinguished citizen and eminent lawyer. Those friends whose good fortune it was to be admitted to his intimacy will feel the keon grief inseparable from the loss of one well beloved.

Mr. Bell was a rare man. To a native intellect of the first order he added many choice accomplishments. He had read deeply, traveled widely and cultivated men everywhere. His information of books, men and affairs was vast. Association with him was more than interesting; it was captivating. The rare charm of his personality before disease had begun to blunt his faculties and dull the glow of his genius is almost indescribable. His inborn gentleness of manner, his unaffected gentility, the simple courtliness of his bearing and demeanor attracted men to him and made them his friends unawares. His temper was soft and equable. Few ever saw him betray irritation or anger. His courage was high and his determination great, but he possessed the secret of being strong, vigorous and frank without raging. His fidelity to his friends was wholly incorruptible and his confidence in them without bounds. Oftentimes that confidence was betrayed and it made him sorrow to find that one to whom he had given his trust and esteem was without desert, but it never weakened his faith in the friends who remained. Those to whom was given the fortune to be taken into the inner circle of his intimacy will always cherish the most delightful, refreshing and lovable memories of Robert C. Bell, his whole-souled hospitality, his glowing mind and his lofty soul. With hearts sore stricken, they will see the form of this gentle, kindly man borne to the grave.

AT FIRST GLANCE.

It Would Appear That Local Remedies Would Be Best for Cure of Catarrh.

It would seem at first glance that catarrh being a disease of the mucous membrane; that salves, sprays, etc., being applied directly to the membranes of the nose and throat, would be the most rational treatment but this has been proven not to be true.

The mucous membrane is made and repaired from the blood and catarrh is a blood disease and any remedy to make a permanent cure must act on the blood, and when the blood is purified from catarrhal poison, the secretions from the mucous membrane will become natural and healthy.

In this climate, thousands of people seem scarcely ever free from some form of catarrh; it gets better at times but each winter becomes gradually deeper seated and after a time the sufferer resigns himself to it as a necessary evil.

Catarrh cures are almost as numerous as catarrh sufferers, but are nearly all so inconvenient and ineffective as to render their use a nuisance nearly as annoying as catarrh itself; anyone who has used douches, sprays and powders will bear witness to their inconvenience and failure to really cure.

There are a number of excellent internal remedies for catarrh, but probably the best and certainly the safest is a new remedy, composed of Eucalyptol, Hydrastis, Sanguinaria and other valuable catarrh specifics.

This remedy is in tablet form, pleasant to the taste and sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and anyone suffering from catarrh may use these tablets with absolutely assurance that they contain no cocaine, opiate nor any poisonous mineral whatever.

A leading druggist in Albany speaking of catarrh cures says: "I have sold various catarrh cures for years, but have never sold any which gave such general satisfaction as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. They contain in a pleasant, concentrated form all the best and latest catarrh remedies, and catarrh sufferers who have used douches, sprays and salves, have been astonished at the quick relief and permanent results obtained after a week's use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets." All druggists sell full sized packages for fifty cents.

You love your money, but you will give it up when you see our bargains.

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THE BASE BALL SITUATION

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION IS FORMALLY LAUNCHED.

New Sporting Child Born in New York Under Auspices Favorable —Strobel the Wailer.

New York, Jan. 22.—So far as the preliminary work is concerned, the new base ball organization, to be known as the American association, was successfully launched when the National board of arbitration granted the promoters the concessions they desired in certain cities.

The new league will work under the rules of the National agreement, which is a measure to preserve territorial rights and prevent attempts to lure players from one club to another. This move of the National league, which in reality is behind the National board of arbitration, is a war measure to kill the threatened competition from the American league. W. H. Watkins, of Indianapolis, for the present will act as president, secretary and treasurer.

The American association will not be in Class A of the protected base ball clubs. A special arrangement has been entered into whereby the organization will be "in a class of its own," on a standard above all now existing in base ball. So far as possible the National league will deal with it upon the same footing as it deals with the American association of days gone by.

The circuit, as now constituted, is composed of Milwaukee, backed by Quist and Hanover; Indianapolis, with W. H. Watkins; Louisville, with Harry Pulliam; Detroit, with A. H. Koch; Boston, with Arthur Irwin and W. D. Brannin; Philadelphia, with Hezekiah Niles; Baltimore, with W. H. Clark, and Washington, with W. C. Byrne and T. F. Noyes. It is possible this circuit will not be adhered to, according to the promoters. They may take other cities.

Players will be negotiated with as soon as the National league clubs come to an understanding as to the men whom they will retain for the next season. Those who are released will be signed by the new league. Salaries will not be much less than they are the National league.

Information from a reliable source leads to the belief that the ball players at an early meeting will take action in regard to the pledge made not to sign contracts. Several of them have come to the opinion that the present time is not the best to make any radical changes in the methods that govern the sport. A number are anxious to sign with their employers, and have so stated to other players. The American league, which the new organization will meet in conflicting games, has not been successful in leasing grounds in all the cities of its circuit, but Johnson, the president, says at the next meeting, to be held in Chicago on January 28, he will have the affairs of the organization in good shape.

A meeting of the new American association was held at the Marlborough hotel. The only question of importance that came up was the drafting of players. It was finally decided that each club could pick from its team five men who could not be claimed by the National league. This practically kills the drafting system so far as the American association is concerned, and allows each club the chance to build up a good team. The next meeting of the association will be held shortly after the National league schedule meeting.

The prompt action of the National league and its representative board in recognizing the new association will do much toward facilitating movements in the base ball world in general and the Inter-State league in particular. The circuit question is now presented in a tangible form and the Inter-State committee can proceed intelligently knowing that nothing can now intervene to upset calculations. Within a very short time the list of towns to be included in the circuit will be completed and the organization of clubs will immediately follow. It is still interesting to hear the hot air generator at Toledo puffing away. The following dispatch is the latest spasm from the erstwhile magnate whose wonderful boom died a 'bornin':

STROBEL TALKS SOME MORE.

"Manager Charles J. Strobel, of the Toledo base ball team, was found in his office today busily engaged in reading and filing away stacks of letters and documents, and, strange to say, none of them had any bearing on base ball. When asked in regard to the base ball situation and the chances of Toledo being in a representative league next season, Mr. Strobel stopped work suddenly, and, in emphatic words, spoke as follows:

"'If Toledo can't get into a representative base ball league I can assure you there will be no base ball played here next season. I would rather board up the grand stand, lock the gates and pass base ball up this year entirely than be compelled to go into the Inter-State league with little country towns again.'"

Poor Strobel! He dies hard and can not understand why it is that he don't cut a wider swath in the base ball meadow than he does. He still imagines that he is the whole thing in Toledo and it will be observed that he announces with great positiveness that there will be no base ball in Toledo this year if he has to play with country clubs. With that same crowd of county clubs to play with last year it will be noticed Strobel's Mud Hens could do no better than get to third place and had a hard time of it to get there. But there will be base ball in Toledo just the same. There are "gentlemen" in Toledo who stand ready to back a club for any amount, provided Strobel is kept out of the deal and that gentleman's harmless mouthings do not cut any more figure in Toledo than they do in Stockholm. Poor Strobel!

NEWS GATHERED IN COURTS

Sheriff Stout left for Jeffersonville this morning having in charge the two boys, Bixler and Terry, sent to the reformatory for the McCulloch hog stealing. The sheriff was accompanied by Harry Metzger as special deputy.

The Citizens' Trust company has commenced suit in foreclosure against David B. and Mary A. Walters; demand $5,000.

John M. Culver has filed his bond as administrator of the estate of Henry Culver, deceased.

Commissioner Moody and Auditor Meyer are engaged in posting notices in the township of Wayne for the railroad subsidy election to be held February 5th.

BEFORE JUDGE AIKEN.

The case of Mary Voight vs. the city of Fort Wayne was continued by agreement. The case is in process of settlement.

In the case of Edward Gilmartin vs. the Wayne Fishing club, a settlement was reached out of court and the case was dismissed, each of the parties to the suit paying half the costs.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

In France's court this morning Louis Girardot, of Maples, was fined $1 and costs for profanity, on affidavit of Anias Boles. Girardot then turned about and filed an affidavit against Boles for assault.

Osie Stewart, an inmate at Hattie Tyke's bagnio, had decided to seek other fields, but her trunk was detained by her landlady. She went before France and instituted replevin proceedings. The justice suggested that she would be required to give bond for the costs. "Well, I'm the girl that can do it," said Osie as she made a dive toward the floor. There was a flash of crinoline and variegated hosiery that made the judge blush clear to his toes, but out of the panorama somewhere Osie's hand came triumphant with a wad of bills big enough to choke a sewer.

Constable Westrumb went to Huntertown last night, where he arrested Mrs. Rosa Cotterman, whose home is, or was between Antwerp and Defiance. Her husband came to the city yesterday and said his wife had eloped with another man, that he had traced them to Huntertown and wanted them both arrested. Warrants were issued by Justice Bullerman and the constable was dispatched on the job. He returned with the woman but the man was not at the house where the woman was found and has probably skipped for parts unknown by this time. The woman is young and not bad looking.

Peter Michael was charged with assault and battery on Daniel Monahan. Justice Bullerman heard the evidence and discharged the prisoner, the evidence being insufficient.

All the Woodburn cases to have been tried at the several justices' courts today have been continued until Saturday.

HUMANE SOCIETY'S MEETING

WENT OVER THE WORK OF THE PAST TEN MONTHS.

Resolutions Endorse the Efforts of Mrs. Gause and Plead for Humane Education.

The Fort Wayne Humane society held a special meeting this morning at the office of its president, A. H. Bittinger. The report of Humane Officer Schlaudroff, covering the work of the ten months ending January 1, was read and commended and ordered printed in pamphlet form for distribution.

The organizer, Mrs. N. L. Gause, was present, and she was accorded a welcome in the following resolution:

"Resolved, That as Mrs. N. L. Gause has been authorize to solicit contributions for the Humane society, we, the board of directors, hereby commend her to the public as its chosen agent for the purpose indicated, with confidence that the liberal support to this worthy object in the past will be continued by our citizens."

The subscriptions and contributions now solicited are to defray the expenses of the work for 1901.

The following resolution on humane education was also adopted:

"Whereas, Evidence of cruelty still abound, and much extreme carelessness in handling animals is daily reported; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That our educators be earnestly solicited to co-operate in reaching the people with humane instruction: that our school superintendents and teachers be encouraged to grasp every opportunity to inculcate kindness in the hearts of the children; to daily remind them of the beauty and importance of all animal life, and of the unnecessary abuse that is almost continually heaped upon the dumb creation."

WAYNE STREET MEETINGS.

The attendance at the Wayne street services last evening was the best seen at a Monday evening service recently, and the sermon by Rev. M. Reed was a very strong and earnest one. His theme was "How Can a Man Be Converted," and was so strong and practical as to go to the very bottom of the subject. It made a profound impression and bore immediate fruit, as several arose to answer the question, "Do you want to know God personally?" The interest was very deep, and the prospects are very encouraging for great meetings this week. The public is cordially invited to these services each evening at 7:30.

MAURICE THOMPSON VERY ILL.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Jan. 22.—Maurice Thompson, the author, who has been ill the past six weeks, is stated to be extremely weak. His physicians announced today that his condition is not at all encouraging.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

for her researches in the field of electricity, had the honor the other evening of dining with the 360 members of the Institution of Electrical Engineer, at the Hotel Cecil, in London. Her presence brought up the novel question how she should be recognized by the speakers at the dinner. The earlier speakers said, "My lords, lady, and gentlemen," which sounded odd. The Lord Chief Justice improved on this with "My lords, Mrs. Ayrton, and gentlemen," while Sir John Wolfe Barry struck out the formula, "My lords, madam, and gentlemen." Mrs. Ayrton some time ago justified her election to membership by a thoroughly scientific essay "On the Hissing of the Electric Arc," a subject which she still further investigated, and on which she read a paper, in completion of her enquiry, at the recent meeting of the institution in Paris.

George Streicher, of the Aveline barber shop, has returned from Chicago, where he went to inspect the application of compressed air for tonsorial purposes. He was so impressed with it that he immediately ordered a complete outfit, the same as is used in the metropolitan shops, and it will be installed immediately in his parlors. Compressed air is used for spraying toilet waters, drying the face and hair and for many other purposes of like character.

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LOT 3---All Wool Waists that sold as high as $2.50, go on Special Sale at 98c Each.

LOT 4---All Wool Waists that sold as high as $3.00 go on Special Sale at $1.19 Each.

These Waists come in all colors, as Red, Blue, Grey, Black, etc. Sale is now going on and will continue until all are sold.

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Maybe you were out late last night? If you had taken a Krause's Headache Capsule before retiring your head would be cool and clear this morning. Take one now and you will be all right in an half hour. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

STRANGE BELIEF.

A new sect in Indiana, known as the Jamrelites, has decided to settle in Scotland. One of their prophets has fixed on a near date as that on which the world will come to an end, and his followers believe that they are to ascend heavenward from the summit of a Scottish mountain.

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Your druggist will refund your money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Ringworm, Tetter, Old Ulcers and Sores, Pimples and Blackheds on the face, itching Humors, Dandruff and all Skin Diseases no matter of how long standing. Price 50c. If your druggist should fail to have it send us 50c in postage stamps and we will forward same by mail, and at any time you notify us that the cure was not satisfactory we will promptly return your money. Your druggist will tell you that we are reliable, as our LAXATIVE BROMO-QUININE Tablets, which have a national reputation for colds, are handled by all druggists. Add. PARIS MEDICINE CO., St. Louis, Mo.

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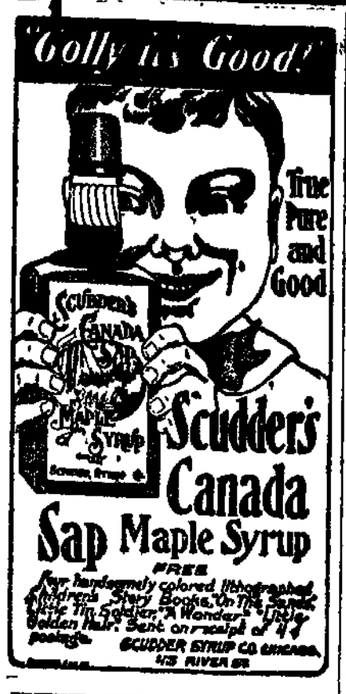

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ROBERT C. BELL DEAD.

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other from Indianapolis, and in the list Mr. Bell's friends, both in private and professional life, will be represented.

Thursday morning at 7:10 o'clock the funeral party will leave over the Lake Erie and Western railway for Muncie, where the funeral services proper will be held in the Universalist church on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Crosley officiating.

The interment will be at the cemetery at that city, where the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bell, together with other relatives of the family, are buried.

TELEGRAMS OF SYMPATHY.

During the day many absent friends of Mr. Bell have sent words of sympathy and condolence to add to the expressions of his friends at home. Among the telegrams are messages from Governor W. T. Durbin, Hon. S. E. Morss, R. E. Gregory, of Muncie; Edward Hawkins, of Indianapolis, formerly United States marshal; Senator S. B. Fleming, A. E. Manning, of Indianapolis, and others. Governor Durbin's telegram is as follows:

"Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 22.—Mrs. R. C. Bell, Fort Wayne, Ind.: Accept my sincere sympathy in your bereavement. Your husband was my good friend and my grief is mingled with yours. W. T. Durbin."

THE STORY OF HIS LIFE.

Robert Clark Bell was a native of Indiana—a product of the blending and the growth of sturdy Hoosier manhood with loftiest character and keenest intelligence. He was consistently loyal first to the state of Indiana, its people and its institutions. His pride in the state of his birth and of his residence amounted to a devotion, and he lost no opportunity to speak a word, dignifiedly and without ostentation, however, in defense of Indiana's exalted position in commerce, in law and in letters.

Mr. Bell was born at Clarksburg, Decatur county, July 13, 1844. His earliest ancestors were natives of Ireland; his grandparents of Virginian descent, and his grandfather, John Bell, was a soldier in the war of 1812. His father, Hiram Bell, was a native of Maysville, Ky., and married Mary J. Clark, a native of Lexington, in that state, whose father, Woodson Clark, emigrated to Indiana about 1820 and founded the town of Clarksburg, where Mr. Bell was born. Robert Clark Bell was the eldest of eleven children. His father, Hiram Bell, lost his life by an accident in 1879.

Boyhood days were spent upon a farm, and the embryo jurist, scholar and orator knew and experienced to the fullest measure the arduous toils and the few compensating pleasures of pioneer days upon an Indiana farm. It was a valuable school of experience, however, and its hardships taught him lessons whose impress never left him life. It was his pleasure, during the most successful days of his professional career, to relate with infinite zest some of those pioneer experiences to fittingly illustrate a point or to illuminate a moral.

SERVED AS A SOLDIER.

His opportunities were perhaps no more and no less than the average boy of his day, and his earliest education was that received in the common schools of Decatur county. Later he began teaching in the district schools of his county to raise money for a proper academic training previous to entering a higher educational institution.

The great civil war began. Future prospects and previous plans were for the time pushed aside and Robert C. Bell with thousands of other loyal young Americans of his type, answered his country's call. In February, 1862, he organized a company of his fellow students and with them was mustered into the Eighth Indiana volunteer infantry. He saw active service for six months with his company and was then transferred to the One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Indiana regiment. His field service thereafter was brief, for his executive abilities were recognized by the corps commander and he was ere long assigned to detached duty, and served at Nashville until the end of the war.

He returned to civil life to take up his plans where he hurriedly dropped them some years before, and after a brief academic course entered the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. From boyhood the legal profession had appealed to Mr. Bell, and he entered upon its study with tremendous vigor, demonstrating early in his career much of the intellectual power which illumined his ripened professional career. He was formally admitted to the bar at Muncie in 1867, one year previous to the date of his graduation from Ann Arbor.

HIS FIRST PARTNERSHIP.

Returning to Muncie after receiving his degree the young attorney entered at once upon the practice of his profession, forming almost at once a partnership with Hon. Alfred Kilgore, of that city. Judge Kilgore was at that time United States district attorney for Indiana. Mr. Bell became his assistant, and at once gained standing as a practitioner in the federal courts, a prestige which gave him an opportunity to quickly demonstrate his fitness for rank in the highest legal circles of the state.

Fort Wayne held out a more promising field for a professional career than did Muncie, and hither Mr. Bell came early in 1871. He was most kindly received, for the members of the profession in this city were quick to recognize the already marked ability of the young lawyer and he at once formed a partnership with Hon. John Colerick, who had been the democratic nominee for congress in this district the year previous. Mr. Colerick was a brother of Judge W. G. Colerick, Henry Colerick and P. B. Colerick, and the firm of Colerick & Bell occupied offices at the present location of the abstract offices of Kuhne & Co., on Court street. The partnership was not long lived, however, for it was dissolved by the death of Mr. Colerick in March, 1872.

Mr. Bell was next found as a member of the law firm of Coombs, Miller & Bell, made up of the late William H. Coombs, William H. H. Miller, afterwards attorney general of the United States under President Harrison, and Mr. Bell. In Mr. Bell's law office today may be found the desk used by Mr. Miller at this time, and it had always been carefully preserved by him as a memento of his distinguished professional associate. The firm continued unbroken until the removal of Mr. Miller to Indianapolis, and Judge John Morris became a member, the firm then being styled Coombs, Morris & Bell.

WERE MANY CHANGES.

The career of Mr. Bell is marked by many changes in professional associations, but it is to be noted that in each case his firm was to be found in the very front rank of legal circles of its day, and his career was one of honorable and distinguished successes. Upon the appointment of Judge Morris to the position of supreme court commissioner of Indiana, Samuel L. Morris became a member of the firm, which then became known as Coombs, Bell & Morris.

Later Judge Coombs retired from active practice, and the firm continued as Bell & Morris for several years. It was followed by the formation of one of the very strongest legal partnerships that ever existed in northern Indiana—Morris, Bell, Barrett & Morris—comprising Judge John Morris, Mr. Bell, Hon. J. M. Barrett and S. E. Morris. The association was often referred to as the "Big our," and was, indeed, notable from the splendid ability of its individual members, from the collective legal strength represented, and from the magnitude of its business and its triumphs.

It was dissolved after some years and for a time Mr. Bell was in the south recuperating his health, which had become impaired from assidious devotion to professional cares. Returning to Fort Wayne, he resumed practice alone, paying little attention to any professional work outside his railroad interests. February 1, 1898, Mr. Bell formed a partnership with N. D. Doughman under the firm name of Bell & Doughman, and this partnership continued down to the present time.

HIS MASTERY OF THE LAW.

Mr. Bell was both by nature and by training eminently fitted for the legal profession. His ambition and his intellect rose above the mere "practice" of the profession. He was a great lawyer in its broadest and truest sense. He possessed a grasp and a conception of legal principles broad as the foundations of law itself. It was to railroad and corporation law, however, that he devoted his chiefest endeavors and in this field he was truly a master.

For many years he had been the attorney for the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, for the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad and for other lines, as well as for banks and other corporations, and was always in demand because of his distinguished ability and his mastery of the laws bearing upon questions affecting such a clientele. His triumphs here were notable.

The most eminent attorneys of this and other states have freely accorded to Mr. Bell the most distinguished recognition as a foremost practitioner and an authority upon the principles of law. In Mr. Bell was the "old school" modernized, and he brought into the practice the keen intellect that could foresee and provide for contingencies before they were at hand. His forte lay not alone in legal knowledge, but in his concise and elegant manner of applying it. He was eloquent, clear and logical both in his oral arguments and in his pleadings. He usually permitted his opponents to indulge, if they those, in vehement declamation and gesticulation while he quietly and unostentatiously set forth the law. His opponents were given full sway for their choice of loud declamation, while Mr. Bell directed his effort to quiet argument and marshalling of facts. His legal career was one of eminent distinction, crowned with continued and honorable successes.

A LEADER IN POLITICS.

Mr. Bell was no less eminent in the field of politics than in his professional career, and he ranked among the foremost of Indiana democratic leaders. So universally was this fact recognized that aside from being repeatedly distinguished by his party with positions of honor, he was again and again called into counsel by democratic leaders of the state when questions of moment to the party and the people were under consideration. His foresight was keen, his judgment rarely erred, and his opinions always carried great weight.

He was always a democrat, and as did his father before him, always took an active interest in politics. His first public position was that of United States commissioner in this city, a position which he resigned in 1874 upon his election to the state senate from Allen county. In the senate Mr Bell quickly took rank as a leader, and his legal ability was at once recognied in his appointment as a member of the committee on judiciary. He kept close to the people he represented, was active and vigilant in their interests, and demonstrated once more his marvelous capacity for work.

In 1880 Mr. Bell was again elected to the senate, this time representing the counties of Allen and Whitley, and here again he was signally honored by appointment as chairman of the judiciary committee. This was the last public position held by Mr. Bell, for he was not a seeker after office. He found his chief enjoyment as a private in the political ranks, and every campaign was to be found upholding the principles of his party upon the stump. As a political speaker Mr. Bell was again a leader, and his services were always in demand to an extent far in excess of his time.

An interesting incident in this connection is recalled, for it illustrates the keen appreciation of his nature. More than twenty-five years ago early in his career as a political speaker, Mr. Bell closed a campaign the night before the election at the little town of Arcola, in this county. He was so kindly and enthusiastically received that in every campaign following it Mr. Bell was invited to make the closing address at Arcola. This he did through more than twenty-five years, and though many pretentious cities and towns made repeated requests for his services as a speaker in closing the campaign, Mr. Bell declined them all in order to go to Arcola and talk to his steadfast friends of years ago.

IN A TRYING POSITION.

In 1884 Mr. Bell was chosen a delegate-at-large from Indiana to the Chicago convention which nominated Cleveland and Hendricks for president and vice president respectively.

Mr. Bell was chosen to preside over the democratic state convention at Indianapolis June 24 and 25, 1896, and on this memorable occasion Mr. Bell achieved one of the notable triumphs of his political career.

It was his calm, firm, skilled, parliamentary grace and tact that saved the state political organization from perhaps absolute disruption on that occasion. Mr. Bell was never other than a gentleman and his mildness in ruling during the early hours of the convention appeared to strengthen a prominent disturbing element present with the evident purpose of disrupting that large body of more than 1,700 delegates from every part of the state.

Leading this opposition was ex-Congressman Bynum, and Chairman Bell watched for a time the attempt to disturb the deliberations of the great body until it reached a point where it could no longer be tolerated. It was then that Mr. Bell's parliamentary skill flashed forth and with a courageous firmness he put an end to the disturbing element. The opposition had met in the suave and mild-mannered presiding officer a man more than worthy of his steel, and in the light of later results Mr. Bell was credited with having saved Indiana democracy from disruption on the very eve of the opening of a great political campaign.

Recognition as a leader, both in a state and national way, has been freely accorded Mr. Bell. He possessed the skill and tact and diplomacy of a leader, and enjoyed the widest acquaintance with public men of his party. This is notably true in the case of William Jennings Bryan, between whom and Mr. Bell there existed the warmest and closest personal friendship. Mr. Bryan has on repeated occasions been a guest at Mr. Bell's palatial home, on West Wayne street, and no more ardent admirer or more forceful champion of the great Nebraskan was to have been found than Mr. Bell.

A KNIGHTLY GENTLEMAN.

Mr. Bell was a gentleman of rare culture and refined tastes, and in professional, social and private life alike these courtly graces were most prominently marked. A very Chesterfield in all the amenities proper between gentlemen in public or private intercourse, he never descended below this knightly level. He detested a mean thought and a mean act, and his lofty soul was above jealousies and personalities. His contests, political and professional, were vigorous and forceful, but they never overstepped the proprieties of a splendid courtesy that permeated his entire life.

Mr. Bell's friendships were strong and lasting. He seemed to possess in a remarkable measure the power of analyzing men and character, and he was very close to minds which, like his own, could know and appreciate and enjoy the fellowship of high intellectual attainment. He was a profound student and a fine scholar, and in his beautiful home is an elaborate literary library which was one of his chief delights. Here are the classics and highly-prized tomes of antiquity, as well as the best from modern authors, and on many occasions in conversation on the widest range of topics Mr. Bell's familiarity with the intellectual wealth of his library was apparent.

He was fond of travel, of the hunt and of the rod, and in 1876 and 1877 made an extended tour of Europe, acquiring a familiarity with old-world conditions that was broad and extensive. He made frequent trips to the south, and in recent years has been in the habit of spending the greater portion of his summers at Bear Lake and other northern Michigan resorts.

MARRIED AT MUNCIE.

Senator Bell was married April 5, 1868, to Miss Clara E. Wolfe, of Muncie, who survives him. There are no children. Mrs. Bell is a lady of rare culture and scholarly attainments, and has been of incalculable assistance to her husband in the notable successes of his professional career. It was one of Mr. Bell's pleasures to lovingly accord his devoted wife the fullest measure of credit for her helpfulness and solicitude during all the years of his active public life. A few years ago Mr. and Mrs. Bell erected a handsome stone residence at 130 West Wayne street, which has since been their home, and where the eminent lawyer passed away. It is one of the most elegantly appointed homes in the city. All the surroundings tell of culture and good taste, while over and above all is the charm of domesticity. Here Mr. Bell has received and entertained countless friends, many of them personages of distinction and others from the ordinary walks of life, bestowing upon all a warmth of splendid hospitality and of charming comradeship that made the visit a delight

The aged mother of Mr. Bell is still living. She resides with her daughter, at Minneapolis, but is now visiting other children at Springport, Ind. However, she was too feeble to come to his bedside. He was one of a family of eleven children and the first to be called by death, all the others being still living. His brothers are Levi and Woodson Bell, of Arkansas City, Kan.; Charles, of Minneapolis, and Emerson, of Muncie. There are six sisters, Mrs. Ida Ball, of Muncie; Mrs. Lily Colepovs, of Minneapolis; Mrs. Margaret Clawson, of Springport, Ind.; Mrs. Anna Sunderland, of Taber, Ind.; Mrs. Mary Longfellow, of Anderson, and Miss Lizzie Bell, of Muncie.

GIFTED PUBLIC SPEAKER.

As a public speaker Senator Bell achieved notable distinction, whether on the stump, upon the platform, in the courts or at a banquet occasion. He was fluent of speech, eloquent in his choice of words, quick at repartee, and his sentences flashed and scintillated with wit, sparkled with a gracious humor or by turns elevated his hearers by their lofty sentiment.

Mr. Bell was actively identified with a number of fraternal organizations. He was a Mason of the thirty-second degree, a charter member of the Scottish Rite bodies of this city, a past eminent commander of Fort Wayne commandery, Knights Templar, and a member of the Mystic Shrine. He was an Odd Fellow, a member of the Caledonian society, a charter member of the Fort Wayne Lodge of Elks, was connected with several legal associations and was an honorary member of the Fort Wayne Press club.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Jan. 22.— Forecast for Indiana—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; moderate temperature; southerly wind.

J. M. Singmaster is transacting business in Chicago.

E. R. Gesaman is recovering from an attack of influenza.

H. A. Bruggemann is transacting business in Hicksville, O.

At a meeting of the Caledonian society last evening resolutions of sympathy were passed on the death of Hon. R. C. Bell, who was an honorary member of the society.

Mrs. Frank Fox and Mrs. Adam LaMar will entertain the ladies of the Order of the Eastern Star and friends at a progressive rice picking tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fox, 17 East Williams street, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Franke, of 129 Broadway, was pleasantly surprised by a party of friends last evening, who called to remind her of the thirty-ninth anniversary of her birth. There were about forty guests in the party and an evening of great pleasure was passed.

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Fresh Florida Head Lettuce, 17c lb.
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Long or Round Radishes, 2½c bunch.
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Fresh Southern Spinach, 25c pk.
Fresh Southern Egg Plant, 12½c each.
Crescent Canned Asparagus, 25c can.
Michigan Celery, 15c and 25c bunch
Michigan Celery, Extra Fine, 35c bunch.
Large Cape Cod Cranberries, 10c qt.
Young, Fat, Dressed Geese, 9c lb.
Young, Fat, Dressed Chickens, 10c lb.
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GREATEST GROCERY CO.,
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of the Wayne Stamp company, is this day dissolved by the mutual consent of all the partners. The undersigned J. L. Leeper and E. C. Lincoln withdraw from said partnership. The business heretofore carried on by said firm will be continued by the undersigned Herbert S. Fickes.

J. L. LEEPER.
H. S. FICKES.
E. C. LINCOLN.
w 2t d 15-22.

ATTENTION, MACCABEES!

All members of Wayne Tent, No. 54, and Mad Anthony Tent are respectfully requested to meet at the hall of Wayne Tent, corner Calhoun and Wayne streets, next Wednesday at 12:30 sharp to attend the funeral of our late brother, Sir Knight C. I. Lopshire.

J. C. WILLIAMS, Com.
JOHN W. HALL, R. K.

IMPROVEMENTS IN LAKESIDE

MANY NEW LOTS WILL BE PLACED ON MARKET.

Was Decided On at Annual Meeting of Improvement Company Monday.

The annual meeting of the Fort Wayne Land and Improvement company was held Monday afternoon in the offices of the company, in the Pixley-Long block, and the different officers were re-elected for another year. They are:

President—D. N. Foster
Vice President—W. E. Mossman.
Treasurer—G. W. Pixley.
Secretary—A. B. Howey.
Directors—G. W. Pixley, S. M. Foster, A. D. Cressler, J. W. Bell, W. E. Mossman and D. N. Foster.

A number of important improvements were decided upon, which, when completed, will add greatly to the attractiveness of Lakeside as a place of residence. The company has decided to place on sale the entire tier of lots on the east side of Walton avenue, from the Maumee river bridge to Lake avenue, and the tier on the south side of Columbia avenue, from the street railway bridge over Delta lake to Walton avenue.

The proposed improvement will necessitate the opening up of Columbia avenue through the company's land from Delta lake to Walton avenue and considerable grading will have to be done. Columbia avenue ceases to be a public thoroughfare at the Delta lake bridge, although the tracks of the traction company extend some distance beyond, the extension having been made some time ago when the old base ball grounds were located near the lake.

The cost of the contemplated improvements will be about $7,000. The new lots will be graded to a uniform heighth of six inches above the sidewalk. The extension of Columbia avenue to Walton avenue makes necessary the construction of a new bridge over Delta lake, the present bridge having been condemned as unsafe, and a substantial structure will probably replace it. The Fort Wayne Traction company holds a franchise on Columbia avenue to Walton avenue, although they have never constructed a line further than the old base ball grounds, and when the extension of the avenue is made the line will be completed to Walton avenue. The very best material will be used in the construction of the railway and the rails will be of the same heavy pattern that were laid on Columbia avenue this summer.

Work on the new improvements will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground and will be completed as rapidly as possible.

A DEEP MYSTERY.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Iowa, "and a lame back pained me so I could not dres myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c. at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN.

The young men of St. Peter's Catholic church elected the following officers to serve during the coming year:

President—Charles Roth.
Vice President—Louis Harber.
Recording Secretary—George Alter.
Financial Secretary—John Miller.
Treasurer—W. Orth.
Board of Directors—John Suelzer, S. Becker and Frank Becker.
Collectors—B. Blank and W. Ryan.
Banner Carriers—Joseph Becker, John Becker and Charles Schellhammer.
Ushers—Charles Roth, R. Schmol and O. Hoffman.
Delegate—Charles Roth.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected, but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Roericht, Eau Claire, Wis.

"I was given up to die from heart and nervous troubles caused by grip. Six bottles each of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine cured me."—Mrs. John Wollet, Jefferson, Wis.

"My heart was badly affected by an attack of grip and I suffered intense agony until I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. It made me a well man."—S. D. Holman, Irasburg, Vt.

"I was in bed five week with the grip—nerves shattered, stomach and liver badly deranged. Was cured with Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills."—D. C. Walker, Hallsville, O.

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Any woman may have beautiful hair. If it is a trifle thin, we can help her with one of our Switches. There is more value to them than the mere intrinsic cost.

To reduce stock we will for the remainder of this month give a 20 per cent. discount on all Switches.

Now is your time to purchase.

New York Hair Bazaar,

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Esper Bahal and Liza Salhani.

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c. at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Senator Osborne today introduced the reapportionment bill in the senate. In the house the democrats failed to table the Kelly drainage repeal law, and it is scheduled to come up Wednesday. Representative Burns today introduced a bill to abolish the poll tax.

THOUSANDS SENT INTO EXILE.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at Dreier & Bros. Price 50c. and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

REQUIEM MASSES.

Requiem masses were sung at the Cathedral this morning in honor of the eighth anniversary of the death of the late Bishop Dwenger, and at St. Paul's church in honor of the third anniversary of the late Father Koenig. Father Durham officiated at the Cathedral. On Friday masses will be sung at the Cathedral in honor of the fifteenth anniversary of the death of Father Benoit.

WHEN YOU ARE PLANNING

To attend the magnificent Pan-American exposition at Buffalo give a thought to the fact that the Nickel Plate road will be the most pleasant, shortest and cheapest route in getting there, and one also that will land passengers without transfer right at the exposition gates.

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SHE WAS WISE.

"Will you be satisfied with love in a cottage?" he asked. "Yes," she replied confidently, for she had heard that the cottage was located at Newport.—Philadelphia Record.

Men's and boys' sweaters discounted 10 per cent.

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MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2tf

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Don't forget to order White Loaf Flour. 10t10

Men's and boys' pants discounted 10 per cent.

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Has the 1st Annual Clearance Sale of...

Wayne Dry Goods Co., Been a Success?

That is JUST the word that describes it. We have made money during the last month by NOT making any. Our profit has been in the desired decrease of our stock, and the equally desired increase of our custom.

As our expectations in both of these particulars have been more than realized, we are as thankful as we are satisfied.

We propose, however, to make this the

The Last Week of the Sale the Greatest of the Month.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY.

Table Linens, Sheetings, Bed Spreads, Towelings, etc.

We have had an immense trade in our Dress Goods department throughout this month.

Our stock of Ladies' Wrappers, Cloaks, Suits and Furs are daily noticeably decreasing under the attractive prices.

The secret of it all is, our patrons are aware that they are buying NEW GOODS at wonderfully low prices.

Don't forget that this is the last week of the first annual clearance sale of

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Return Engagement of the Most Successful Comedy,

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The same company and production as seen here before.

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Take your meals at the Y. W. C. A., 51 West Berry Street.

Strangers in the city referred to good boarding places. Meals served on the European plan at reasonable rates. Dinner, 11:30 to 1:30. Supper 5:30 to 8:30.

"If it's a good thing SEAVEY'S have it."

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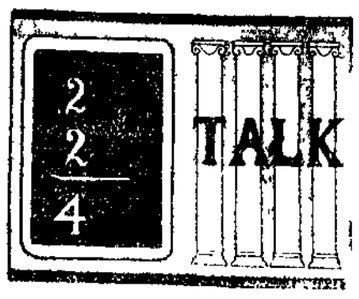

Solid nickel silver—no plating to wear off. A substitute for solid silver—guaranteed to wear as well as silver, at a much less price. Figures talk. Per set of 6, only 75 cents. White Metal Teaspoons, 25 cents per doz. White Metal Forks, 15c per doz.

We also carry in stock a complete assortment of Rogers Bros.' quadruple plated Silverware.

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The Fort Wayne Sentinel.

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QUEEN VICTORIA'S LONG REIGN IS ENDED

Britain's Aged Ruler Dies With Her Children and Their Children About Her.

GREAT GRIEF FELT IN LONDON

Shortly Before She Died Victoria was Able to Say Farewell to Those About the Death Bed—Sorrow Felt in Washington —Condolences Sent.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—6:40 p. m.—Queen Victoria died at 6:30 this evening, surrounded by her family.

OSBORNE, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—6:55 p. m.—"Her majesty the queen breathed her last at 6:30 p. m., surrounded by her children and grandchildren.

"James Ried,
"R. Douglass Powell,
"Thomas Barlow."

LONDON, Jan. 22.—7:03 p. m.—A telegram from the prince of Wales to the lord mayor, timed at Osborne, 6:45 p. m., says the queen has passed away. The text of the message was as follows:

"Osborne, Jan. 22.—6:45 p. m.—My beloved mother has just passed away, surrounded by her children and grandchildren.

"Albert Edward."

The lord mayor replied to the prince of Wales as follows:

"Your royal highness' telegram announcing the nation's great loss I have received with profound distress and grief, and have communicated this most sad information to my fellow citizens.

"Her majesty's name and memory will forever live in the hearts of her people.

"May I respectfully convey to your royal highness and to all the members of the royal family the earnest sympathy and condolence of the city of London in your great sorrow."

COWES, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—The queen is said to have bid farewell in a feeble monosyllable to her family assembled at her bedside at midday. She first recognized the prince of Wales, to whom she spoke a few words of great moment; then Emperor William and others present filed past and heard a whispered good-bye. All those in the bedroom were in tears.

London, Jan. 22.—1:40 p. m.—The gloomy faces of the crowds incessantly approaching the bulletin board at the mansion house indicate how little the public hope to receive better news of the condition of the queen. Men of all ages and conditions, women and even children are content to spend a long time in awaiting their turn to get within reading distance of the board.

As the throng moves slowly past the notice-board, those who are unable to get there personally are sending messenger boys with note books and pencils to bring them the very latest thing posted.

The grief of all is evident, and the relapse announced at 8 o'clock was only too generally anticipated. Never were there so many black ties in the city before the actual arrival of a time of general mourning, and nobody mingling with the crowds can doubt for a moment that everybody in them has a keen personal interest in the queen's condition.

Mr. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury, and the children of the duchess of Connaught, started for Osborne this afternoon. Mr. Balfour, it is said, goes as the representative of the premier, Mr. Salisbury.

The summoning of Mr. Balfour and the Connaught children was regarded as indicating that the end of Queen Victoria was fast approaching.

There was a remarkable scene outside of the Mansion house early this afternoon. On receipt of the alarming reports something resembling a groan was uttered by the hundreds of people assembled, and then some one started to sing the national anthem.

All heads were bared, and in a moment the crowds were singing "God Save the Queen" with a fervor proving how earnestly they wished for her recovery.

The passengers in passing carriages, cabs and omnibuses, joined the singing, the drivers reverently doffing their hats.

London, Jan. 22.—7:20 p. m.—The latest bulletins previous to the announcement of the queen's death, especially the message sent by the prince of Wales, dispelled the last gleam of hope, the crowds silently dispersing from in front of the mansion house, and only a few groups awaited the appearance of the final inevitable announcement.

A scrap of paper a foot square, hoisted on the wall of the mansion house at 6:58 tonight, gave the first notice to London's homeward-hurrying thousands of the death of the empress queen and the advent of a king.

Access to the bulletin was difficult by reason of the fact that excavations had been made in the course of a work of improving the street, but the bared heads of a silent group under a fitful gaze told the crowds on the bus-tops and sidewalks that the queen was no more.

A quarter of an hour later more than a thousand newsboys had invaded the streets with black-ruled newspaper, crying: "Death of the queen," while through the dark streets boomed the deep toned notes of the big bell of St. Paul's Cathedral and the bells of the city churches reechoing the news.

Mr. Balfour's message announcing the queen's death says her majesty died peacefully.

All the theatres and places of entertainment, it is announced, will be closed indefinitely.

There is little doubt that the funeral of Queen Victoria will take place at Frogmore, though no regard to this matter had yet been announced. Her majesty was so closely related to the European court, big and little, that the gathering of royalties at the obsequies will be unprecedented.

The news of the death reached all the towns in the kingdom a few minutes after it had been received by the lord mayor of London and was quickly spread throughout the country districts by the tolling of bells.

Prince and Princess Louis of Battenberg arrived at Osborne just too late to see her majesty alive.

Parliament, it is expected, will meet at 3 o'clock tomorrow. There is a belief in London that the privy council, at which King Edward VII. will take the oath of accession, will be held in London and that his majesty will start for London without delay.

THE END FORETOLD.

London, Jan. 22.—4:35 p. m.—A bulletin posted at the Mansion house reads as follows:

"Osborne—4 p. m.—My painful duty obliges me to inform you that the life of our beloved queen is in the greatest danger.

"Albert Edward."

In reply to the prince of Wales' telegram, the lord mayor, Mr. Frank Green, dispatched the following:

"I have received your royal highness' sad intimation with profound grief, which is shared by the citizens of London, who still pray Divine Providence the irreparable loss to her majesty's devoted family and loyal subjects throughout the empire may still be averted. Will your royal highness be pleased to accept this heartfelt expression of my deep and sincere sympathy."

RECOGNIZED THE KAISER.

Berlin Jan. 22.—3:30 p. m.—The correspondent of the Associated Press here learns from an official source that Queen Victoria recognized Emperor William when the latter went to her bedside yesterday, by giving a sign of joy. She was unable to converse with him.

It is not known here how long the emperor will stay in England.

WAITING FOR THE END.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 22.—4 p. m.—The end is very near. The prince of Wales has not left the vicinity of the queen's bed room since 9 a. m. Emperor William and all the royal family are near her majesty's bedside.

EDWARD VII.
Late Prince of Wales, Now King of Great Britain and Ireland.

With the members of the royal family gathered at the queen's bedside, the bishop of Winchester and rector of Whimmingham read prayers for those in extremis. Happily the queen was able to recognize those around her. They came to her bedside, but the physicians had warned them against attempts to speak to her.

Naturally, the family, while recognizing the claim for public information, decide that the details of the events around the death bed shall be sacred for the present and imposed the strictest secrecy upon the whole household.

The arrival of Lord Clarendon, the lord chamberlain, is considered ominous, because the arrangements for the succession to the throne will be in his hands.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE.

London, Jan. 22.—The arrangements are already practically completed for meetings of the privy council and parliament, the statutes providing that they shall assemble immediately on the death of a sovereign.

The privy councillors could gather together within a few hours. The ministers will attend, give up their seals of office, be re-sworn, receive the proclamation of the new king, pass votes of condolence and congratulation and adjourn.

After giving up their seals the ministers will receive them back from the new ruler. The privy councillors will also be sworn afresh.

Parliament will assemble within twenty-four hours of the death of the queen, in accordance with the precedent in the case of George III.

Emperor William's yacht Hohenzollern has been ordered to leave Keil immediately. She is expected to arrive at Cowes Friday. No arrangements have yet been made for Emperor William's return to Germany.

REMINISCENT OF QUEEN.

London, Jan. 22.—The papers devote columns of space to historical and personal reminiscences and the scenes and incidents of the late queen's life. Emphasis is laid on the fact that her late majesty had paid the penalty for her devotion to affairs of state. It is generally recognized that until a few days ago there was no harder worker in the kingdom. Roughly estimated, she signed 50,000 documents yearly. No dispatch of any gravity was ever issued from the foreign office until seen by the queen and the amount of hard work entailed is gathered from the fact that the foreign office handles considerably over a thousand dispatches weekly.

PRINCE OF WALES.
Late Duke of York, Now Heir Apparent to the British Throne.

After every sitting of the house of commons the government leader in the house was in the habit of forwarding to the queen an abstract of the business done. She personally attended to these and personally and frequently returned them, with marginal notes, asking for explanations.

Ellen Terry's appearance at Sandringham before the queen is recalled as being the only occasion on which her majesty ever prompted an actress. Mistaking a pause by Miss Terry for forgetfulness, the queen gave her the cue very softly.

As Miss Terry did not take the cue and the queen repeated it more loudly, the actress, suppressing her merriment, accepted the cue and proceeded with her lines.

Of pathetic interest now is the inscription on the last wreath from the queen, which was placed on the bishop of London's coffin Thursday last. It did not bear her own signature and this is the first instance on record of such a happening.

It was regarded at the time by the court officials as a sign of serious import.

Lord Clarendon, the new lord chamberlain, with Prince Christian of Schleswig-Holstein and the duke of Argylle, arrived at Osborne this afternoon.

It is the lord chamberlain who, with the archbishop of Canterbury, announces to the new monarch his accession to the throne.

STATE CONDOLENCES SENT.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Secretary Hay, upon being assured through the physician's certificate, as furnished him by the Associated Press, of the demise of Queen Victoria, promptly cabled the following message to Ambassador Choate at London:

"Department of State, Jan. 22, 1901—Choate, Ambassador, London—You will express to Lord Lansdowne the profound sorrow of the government and people of the United States at the death of the queen and the deep sympathy we feel with the people of the British empire in their great affliction.

(Signed.) "John Hay."

RESOLUTION IN SENATE.

In the senate this afternoon Mr. Allison offered the following resolution:

"That the death of her royal and imperial majesty, Victoria, of noble virtues and great renown, is sincerely deplored by the senate of the United States of America."

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

PRESIDENT IS INFORMED.

The news announcing the death of Queen Victoria was conveyed to President McKinley simultaneously with its receipt by the newspapers. Although he had been kept constantly advised of her condition since it became known that her case was hopeless, the news of her death was a great shock to him.

As soon as word is received from Ambassador Choate the president will send a message of condolence to King Edward VII.

The official announcement is expected at any moment.

FLAGS AT HALF MAST.

The flag on the executive mansion was placed at half mast at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

So far as any record goes this is the first time in the history of this country that this mark of respect has been paid to the memory of a foreign ruler.

President McKinley has sent the following message of condolence to King Edward VII:

"Telegram sent from Washington, Jan. 22, 1901.—His Majesty the King, Osborne House, Isle of Wight: I have received with profound sorrow the lamentable tidings of the death of her majesty the queen.

"Allow me, sir, to offer my sincere sympathy and that of the American people in your personal bereavement and in the loss Great Britain has suffered in the death of its venerable and illustrious sovereign, whose noble life and beneficent influence have promoted the peace and won the affection of the world.

"William McKinley."

SORROW IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The announcement of the death of Queen Victoria was received with universal sorrow at the many foreign embassies and legations in Washington, and nowhere was the sentiment of bereavement more directly or poignantly felt than at the British embassy.

Lord Pauncefote had expected that the end could not be long deferred, and had been prepared for the sad intelligence that the queen was no more; but it came to him almost as a personal affliction, for it was only a few months ago that he was the guest of the queen at Osborne, when he received from her hands his elevation to the peerage.

Aside from this her majesty had frequently shown most gracious consideration to the ambassador and Lady Pauncefote, inviting them to Windsor and to Osborne for visits which were something more than brief official exchanges.

On the last occasion when Lord Pauncefote saw the queen at Osborne she was in excellent health, considering her years, and her mental faculties were keen and observant. The foreign office has kept the embassy advised by cable of the progress of the queen's condition, and from these despatches it became evident some days ago that the queen's death was near at hand.

Official business proceeds as usual, for in the eye of the law the national existence is in no wise interrupted by the death of the sovereign.

At the head of the main staircase of the embassy hangs a superb oil portrait of mammoth proportions, showing her majesty soon after her coronation. It is by the famous painter, Sir George Hayten, court painter during the early days of the Victorian reign, and is a counterpart of that in the grand corridor at Windsor palace. In the ambassador's library hangs another portrait of the queen, showing her with the royal diadem on her brow.

HAS SMALLPOX.

Dr. McOscar yesterday afternoon reported a case of smallpox, the patient being Mrs. DeLagrange, at 47 Lasalle street. A special meeting of the board of health was called this morning and stringent measures were taken to prevent a spread of the disease. It is known that there have been a number of exposures and these the board of health is trying to locate as speedily as possible. Special placards have been printed containing the following legend: "The Within Residents Have Been Exposed to Smallpox and Quarantine Laws are in Force Here. Any Violation of These Laws Will Be Followed by Prosecution." These placards have been placed upon three or four houses and others will follow. It was ordered also that all school children must present a certificate showing that they have been successfully vaccinated within five years and all teachers of parochial and public schools have been notified that this regulation would be rigidly enforced.

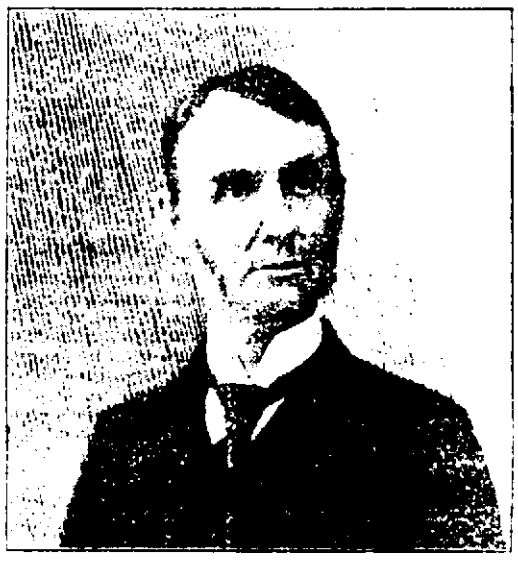
Anna Rackham was granted a divorce from Ernest Rackham.

ROBERT C. BELL DEAD

The Eminent Lawyer and Citizen Passed from Earth After Long Suffering.

CLOSE OF AN ILLUSTRIOUS LIFE

Hon. Robert C. Bell, citizen, soldier, jurist, scholar and orator, is gone from earth. The end came at 4:45 o'clock Monday afternoon. For hours only the feeblest spark of life had bound the sufferer to this world; it grew fainter and fainter, died at last, and the distinguished patient sank peacefully into the dreamless sleep of death. There was no struggle—only a slight gasp, almost imperceptible even to the anxious watchers at the bedside. The patient had been unconscious for some days, and it had been plainly evident that the end could not long be deferred. The marvelous recuperative powers so often manifested during Mr. Bell's illness were exhausted, and weakened vitality could no longer maintain the unequal struggle. Gathered at the bedside were his devoted wife, her nephew, Hon. Arthur Brady, of Muncie; Dr. C. E. Barnett, his physician, and the nurses. Mr. Bell's law partner, N. D. Doughman, had been at the residence shortly before, but was not present as the senator breathed his last. Mr. Bell's age was 56 years, 6 months and 8 days.



HON. ROBERT C. BELL.

BATTLE WITH DISEASE.

Mr. Bell's death came after a protracted illness. For months the distinguished lawyer had been bravely battling against a complication of ailments, and he was a sick man long before his idomitable will power could be persuaded to yield and he placed himself in the care of a physician. Mr. Bell was a tremendous worker; he spared neither physical nor mental powers in carrying forward his professional practice, but the overtaxed constitution yielded at last in a collapse that closed a career of unusual brilliance. Mr. Bell has been confined to the house since early in November, but even in the earlier part of this period he insisted upon looking after a portion of his professional matters, and did some work while lying upon a bed of illness.

Early in September last Mr. Bell sustained a fall at his home, and it was the opinion of his physicians that this fall was the primary cause of a meningeal trouble, which, though at first of a mild type, later developed to a more pronounced degree. Though not in his usual vigor, Mr. Bell was able to be about and, as had always been his custom, took an active interest in the political campaign. The night previous to the election, in conformity with his custom for many years, Mr. Bell went to Arcola to deliver the closing address of the campaign, but on reaching that place was too ill to attempt to speak. On election night, though very weak, Mr. Bell entertained a number of invited guests to receive election returns. The following day he was compelled to take to his bed, and from it, it might be said, he never arose.

WENT TO THE SPRINGS.

There was for a time, however, some encouraging indications of improvement, and his wonderful recuperative powers seemed to hold out hope of permanent restoration. With his physician, Dr. W. W. Barnett, he went to French Lick springs and spent several weeks at that resort in the hope of recuperation. There was, in some ways, an improvement noted and he was brought home.

Soon after his return Mr. Bell arose one night unnoticed by his attendant and passed out of his room into the hall. The exposure resulted in a slight attack of pneumonia, which, in the patient's weakened condition, induced a general and rapid decline. His temperature rose to a dangerous degree, and medical skill was powerless to afford more than temporary relief to the recurring prostrations. The pneumonia left him much weaker, decline was even more marked, and the enfeebled constitution seemed powerless to stay its encroachments. With the weakness came a local paralysis that precluded the taking of any nourishment since Friday. When the patient's condition became alarming, Dr. S. V. Clevenger, an eminent Chicago specialist in nervous troubles, was called in counsel. Dr. Clevenger reached the patient on Saturday, and his diagnosis confirmed that already made by Dr. Barnett—that Mr. Bell was suffering from traumatic meningitis, with a brain lesion. The condition offered no hope and sorrowing friends were told, as tenderly as possible, of the approaching shadow.

His passing was peaceful, and the sorrow at his going is universal. He was most widely known and universally esteemed, for in Robert C. Bell were combined the graces of manhood and of scholarship, of brilliance and of affability that drew all men to him and made every acquaintance a friend.

BAR ASSOCIATION.

Judge Zollars, president of the Allen County Bar association, has called a meeting of that organization to be held at the court house at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning to take suitable action upon the death of Mr. Bell and to arrange for attending the funeral.

THE FUNERAL SERVICE.

Arrangements for the funeral services were practically completed today. There will be brief, simple services at the residence on West Wayne street Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Crosley, pastor of the Universalist church at Indianapolis, will conduct the service. Rev. Crosley was formerly a resident of Fort Wayne, and he and Mr. Bell were warm personal friends.

At this service opportunity will be given to the countless friends of the dead lawyer to take a last look at his well-known face. The pall-bearers will be eight in number, six from this city, one from Muncie, and an-

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There is no circle from that of eminence to the plain citizen in the ordinary walks of life in which tidings of Senator Bell's death was not received with a deep sense of personal loss. His acquaintance was so extensive and his friendship so broad as to include within its scope men in every station of life, but among the prominent in national affairs, and among Mr Bell's associates in professional life, the sorrow is touchingly marked.

MR. BRYAN'S TRIBUTE.

Among those earliest notified was William Jennings Bryan, the democratic leader, who quickly responded in words of tribute and condolence. Mr. Bryan's telegram follows:

"Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 21.—Have just received your telegram announcing the death of the Hon. R. C. Bell. I am pained to learn of the loss of so excellent a citizen, so loyal a democrat, and so good a friend. Please express to Mrs. Bell my sincere sympathy. W. J. Bryan."

FROM HON. S. E. MORSS.

Another of Mr. Bell's warm personal friends was Hon. S. E. Morss, of the Indianapolis Sentinel, who telegraphed as follows:

"Mr. Bell was one of the most gifted men and one of the choicest spirits it was ever my privilege to know. His talents were varied and qualified him to shine on any field or in any forum. He had quick perception and a wonderful retentive memory. His fertility of resources and readiness of speech rendered him almost invincible as a parliamentary leader, and were among the secrets of his great success as a trial lawyer. He was personally one of the most winning and lovable of men. He loved nature, he loved books, and he loved his fellow-man. There was never a more delightful companion than he, before the heavy hand of suffering had been laid upon him and dimmed his natural gayety and brilliancy.

"My mind is full of the tenderest recollections of him and I shall always hold his memory dear. It can be said of him as Ingersoll said of his brother, that 'If every one for whom he had done a kindness were to throw a blossom upon his tomb, he would sleep 'neath a wilderness of flowers.' Truly his life was gentle and the elements so mixed in him that nature might stand up and say to all the world 'This was a man.'

"S. E. Morss."

THE BENCH AND BAR.

Judge Edward O'Rourke said:

"Mr. Bell had many gifts. He could have made his mark on many lines. His mind was quick to apprehend a truth and make it his own. He was by nature and training well fitted for his profession. He was a good lawyer and successful advocate. If at times he seemed not forceful, it was because of his physical condition and not from the matter or style of his argument. When he first came to the bar of Fort Wayne I noticed that he was not a man of great physical endurance. A long, tedious trial was a heavy drain on his energies and left him worn and tired. As years passed by his physical health did not improve; rest and recreation was needful to him. Without some relaxation it was impossible for him to perform the professional work constantly demanding his attention. His recuperative powers, however, were great. At times it was marvelous how rapidly he regained his health and strength and was himself again. He was well versed in the principle of the law and in every respect a very successful practitioner. His reading was extensive. He loved books and kept well informed as to the current literary productions. His taste was discriminating and accurate. None of the gems and good things of the literary world escaped him. He loved science and philosophy, and in the consideration of the latter he manifested penetrating power and intuition to a remarkable degree. He was most genial and companionable. He loved society and was very much attached to his friends and associates. I think that his happiest hours were when he had his friends around him. He loved his home and there he delighted to entertain his friends.

"His experience among men was large. His conversation about men and measures of public import were very entertaining and instructive. He had a fund of reminiscence and anecdote that were charming as he related them in his inimitable manner. He was gentle and enjoying in his manners and in every respect a very attractive man.

"His conduct in court was courteous and exemplary. He knew what was fit and appropriate on every occasion. While alive to what is due from one man to another, and would allow no one to surpass him in kindness and civility, he never gave up his rights or permitted his clients to suffer for want of clear presentation of their causes nor for lack of manly and courageous determination in their support. No man appreciated more the example set by the masters of the profession in their maintenance of human rights and in defense of the friendless and forsaken.

"He will be missed greatly by the bench and bar and his friends will duly mourn his loss."

HON ALLEN ZOLLARS.

Judge Zollars said:

"I knew Mr. Bell when he was deputy United States district attorney, and quite a young man, and of course have known him since he came to Fort Wayne, in 1872, both as a man and as a lawyer. I have been engaged in cases with him, and in cases upon the opposite side. His most pronounced characteristics were quickness and brilliancy. He seems to have had a memory that retained about everything he ever heard or read. All that he knew seemed to be at his immediate command, and he could use his knowledge upon almost any occasion to the best advantage. His public addresses indicated that he was an extensive reader of general literature. His strength as a lawyer manifested itself most prominently in the trial of cases, both before the court and jury. As a trial lawyer, he was among the strongest. He had the tact and knowledge of human nature which made him strong in jury trials. His quick perceptions enabled him to turn to advantage all of the suggestions of an associate, and to comprehend the probable force and effect of points and evidence on the other side. His brilliancy at once attracted attention when he became a member of the state senate, and he quickly became one of the prominent men of the state, and remained such until his death. He was brave and fearless in the expression of his political convictions, and prominent in the councils of his party.

"I need not speak of him as a man in this community, where he was so well known. He had numerous friends, many of whom were very closely and devotedly attached to him."

HON. W. G. COLERICK.

Judge Walpole G. Colerick said:

"Mr. Bell's death is a distinct loss to the legal profession. He was certainly one of the most eminent members of the bar, and his distinction was due to his abilities. He was a strong advocate, his knowledge of law was profound, and his conclusions were usually accurate. As a man Mr. Bell had many friends, and he loved them. He didn't like his enemies. If he was a friend to a man he would go to any length to be of service. He had a brilliant mind, was remarkably quick of apprehension, this faculty almost amounting to intuition. He was a scholarly, able man, and the news of his death is painful, indeed."

HON. S. R. ALDEN.

Judge Alden said:

"In the sunshine of life unconscious praise of our own is on our lips, and friendship's spring flows eulogy.

"But when the spirit's wing still shadows us, ere its cast-off shell has been laid away, expression fails, or, without effort, sounds alone in sorrow.

"Of the political battles won and preferment accepted or passed by our friend, I cannot speak, having eschewed politics. But Mr. Bell as lawyer, man and companion, I knew for many years intimately.

"In some of my hardest legal contests we either stood shoulder to shoulder or led opposing forces.

"For quickness of perception and readiness of apprehension, I never knew his superior. He could assimilate, digest and appropriate from a mass of fact and law placed before him all that was useful in a fraction of the time required by the average educated and trained lawyer.

"This power with a suave and effective manner, unusual command of good English, choice of telling, expressions and electrifying facility in the cut and thrust of colloquy, made him one of the most brilliant advocates. And, while like Ithoriel's spear, his point always reached the joint of his adversary's armor, it was never tipped with venom.

"As a companion, whether with children, an entire family circle, a gathering of men, or in pursuit of simple sports with one or several friends, he was what the occasion demanded—companionable and hardly excelled.

"By nature our friend who is gone was blessed with qualities and capacities that fitted him to fill and grace any position from the simplest path of private life to its highest public positions."

HON. W. P. BREEN.

Hon. William P. Breen said:

"My acquaintance with Mr. Bell began when I entered, as a student, the office of the firm of which he was a member. From that day until now he was my friend. He was a many-sided man and a natural lawyer. In my eyes he was an ideal lawyer. The stores of his mind and his cerebral power were always in a state of preparedness for action. He appreciated to the full the proposition that work makes success at the bar and in the trials of his cases he esteemed no labor too onerous for the proper preparation and presentation of his client's cause.

"The grasp and ready application of the fundamental principles of the law mark the great lawyer; they were conspicuous characteristics of Mr. Bell. His career at the bar was one of marked success. As a trial lawyer few men in Indiana were his peers. As an arguer before a jury there was always a sparkle and a freshness about his forceful speeches which attracted crowds to hear his appeals, which were always models of forensic eloquence. He was a student, not only in his profession, but in history, and along all the lines of literature. He was notably manly. No man better understood and more scrupulously practiced the proprieties of his profession. No brother lawyer ever whispered that he did an unmanly or unprofessional act. Wherever there was a gathering of lawyers, whether of high or mediocre degree, he was the charm of the circle.

"His death has removed one of the greatest lawyers of our state, a citizen of ennobling ideals, a man whose integrity and charity were noteworthy and a faithful, unchanging, royal-hearted, sweet-souled friend."

HON. H. C. HANNA.

Attorney H. C. Hanna said:

"Mr. Bell was the best lawyer and the best friend I ever knew. I don't know that I can add anything to that. If I could I would do it. You can pay him no compliment too glowing for his deserts. The highest praise you might accord him would receive my sanction. You might say of him anything that is good. You might attribute to him all the manly virtues and most admirable traits, and you would not be wrong."

HON. SAMUEL L. MORRIS.

Hon. S. L. Morris, for many years in close professional association with Senator Bell, said:

"In the year 1881, at the invitation of Robert C. Bell, I became a member of the firm of Coombs, Bell & Morris. For a period of more than seventeen years I was associated with Mr. Bell in the practice of law, and became thoroughly acquainted with him, not only as a man, but as a citizen and a lawyer. At the time of the commencement of our partnership he was in the zenith of his power.

"Mr. Bell at all times was a man of most pleasing address. His great power over people was mainly attributable to the fact that he always had the happy faculty of knowing what to say to people, and how to say it and make them feel that he was their friend. His expression was open—his manner courteous—he was the most approachable of men, and while a fluent talker, was equally a good listener. It made little difference, whether he was with the rich, the middle class or the poor. With all he was equally at home, and yet never lost in his association with people a certain dignity, which was ever present with him.

"Mr. Bell was one of the most generous of men. He was ever ready to give—ever ready to lend assistance, and among the younger members of the profession he not only stood very high, but they all liked him. As a partner he was a most pleasant person. During the many years of our association, I never knew him to speak harshly, to be impatient, or find fault. He was always ready to divide responsibility, and never complained, if mistakes occurred, even though the results were somewhat harmful.

Mr. Bell was a man of very high courage. While he was an approachable man, yet he was exceedingly quick to resent an injury. No one ever questioned his courage, or his ability to take care of himself, especially if aroused.

"As a lawyer, Mr. Bell was one of the most remarkable men I ever knew in the profession. Nature had endowed him with great mental powers and an exceedingly keen perception. His memory was most retentive. While he did not enjoy the detailed labor, necessary to all litigation, yet he would for hours consider a cause, listen to discussion of authorities, and go over the facts, interview the witnesses, and this being done, he became and was a most formidable opponent in a lawsuit. He was a ready and expert examiner and cross-examiner of witnesses—he was quick on his feet and a ready debater, a fluent and fervid speaker.

"As a citizen Mr. Bell was always open-hearted, ever ready to support public enterprise and was connected with many public works which were of great benefit to his own citizens. In the death of Mr. Bell, Fort Wayne loses a valuable citizen, the bar one of its most prominent attorneys, and everyone will regret his death."

HON. JAMES M. BARRETT.

Hon. J. M. Barrett, when asked by The Sentinel for an estimate of Mr. Bell's life and character, said:

"Mr. Bell was endowed by nature with extraordinary capabilities. He was in many ways the most gifted man I ever knew. With a strong physical constitution that would have enabled him to endure the continuous labor which falls to most men, there was no degree of eminence in the law, society or politics to which he could not have attained. His perceptions were marvelously quick and accurate. He was exceedingly fond of and his knowledge of the best literature was extensive. His memory was wonderfully retentive, and once a principle of law, an apt quotation from an author, or an entire poem, was ever recorded on the tablets of his memory it was ever afterwards at his ready command. In debate he was always ready, resourceful and eloquent. As a trial lawyer he had few superiors anywhere and no equal among my acquaintances at the bar. He could enter upon a trial of a difficult cause with little or no preparation and absorb more of the law and the facts during the trial than the ordinary lawyer could acquire in weeks of study and preparation. This power of quick and accurate comprehension, often amounting almost to intuition, was one of Mr. Bell's marked characteristics. His extensive knowledge of men and books, his genial personality, his keen sense of humor and ready wit, coupled with a kindly disposition, made him one of the most companionable and popular men of the state."

HIS LAW PARTNER.

Mr. Bell's law partner, Hon. N. D. Coughlan, said:

"It is yet hard to realize that my friend and business partner, Robert C. Bell, is dead. When he passed away no more kindly and generous spirit ever took its flight. I am yet too much oppressed by the shock and sorrow of his death to speak of him. I will not attempt to refer to the many qualities that made him a superior among men; in some respects the superior of any man I have ever known.

"No man occupied a higher place in the esteem and admiration of the people among whom he lived than he. No man had more loyal and true friends than he. No man was more loyal and true to his friends than he. His greatest pleasure was to minister to their needs or their enjoyments. He rose from the farm to a place of distinction and honor attained by few men of his state.

"Nature was as generous with him as was he with his fellow man. He was gifted with powers of intellect that few men have possessed. A man of fine education and most extensive reading, he was a most enjoyable companion.

"I would say of him as did his favorite poet, Robert Burns, say of his friend:

"An honest man here lies at rest
As e'er God with his image blest.
The friend of man, the friend of truth;
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Few hearts like his with virtue warmed
Few heads with knowledge so informed:
If there's another world he lives in bliss;
If there is none he made the best of this."

HIS PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Fred C. Jenne, private secretary to Mr. Bell, said:

"Mr. Bell was a strong believer and observer of the principle that 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' Not only did he practice this doctrine in the giving of pecuniary aid to those in distress and in need, but also in the giving of kind words of encouragement wherever needed. He was approached almost daily by some one wanting assistance in one way or another, and no one deserving ever came to him asking a favor and went away empty-handed. He was approachable upon any subject and polite and courteous to all, be he high or low. Agreeable and sociable at all times, he made his employe feel more like his companion than his servant. He was mindful of the welfare of those under him and seldom let an opportunity pass without expressing his appreciation of any extra effort on the part of the clerks. No one will miss Mr. Bell's cheery voice and kind words more than those who have had the pleasure of being in his employ."

JUDGE JOHN MORRIS.

The venerable Judge John Morris, one of Mr. Bells' earlier law partners in Fort Wayne, said:

"No man could be more missed by the members of the bar than Mr. Bell. He was a good lawyer, a true man, a generous and devoted friend. He felt kindly towards everybody, and preferred to oblige all, the humblest as readily, as generously and as truly as the most prominent and popular. He formed his opinions of men by what they did, estimating their worth at its true value, and unhesitatingly giving credit to those who deserved it. He envied none, he respected all, and the humblest among his acquaintances was received with the same kindness as the more fortunate, though, perhaps, not more deserving. Mr. Bell was extremely popular; he was esteemed by all and disliked by none. He was in the broadest sense of the term a true, kind, generous, devoted friend. He never lost a friend, because he was a veritably true."

COL. R. S. ROBERTSON.

Speaking from a long and intimate friendship with Mr. Bell Col. R. S. Robertson said:

"I have known him ever since he came to Fort Wayne and have enjoyed his friendship as well as my professional intercourse with him, which at times has been quite extensive. The general trend of expression in regard to his character already given by members of the bar meets my hearty concurrence. I considered Mr. Bell a lawyer of remarkable brilliancy and readiness, and withal honorable and upright. His word in connection with any proceedings he had in court was as good as some men's bond. He was of a lovable nature and disposition, and as true to his friends as the needle to the pole. He was, in my judgment, capable of filling, and filling well, a high position in society, at the bar, in politics and in state affairs."

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Mrs. Haven's Second Letter.

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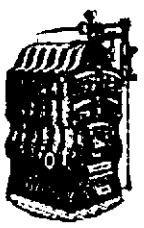

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned commissioner, appointed by the Whitley circuit court in Cause No. 4296, wherein Henry Kanning is plaintiff, and Sophia Kanning et al., are defendants, will, by virtue of an order of said court made and entered of record at the September term, 1900, offer for sale at private sale, at the law office of Henry Colerick, in the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, upon Thursday, the 31st day of January, 1901, the following described real estate situated in Allen county, Indiana, to-wit: The west half of lot Number One Hundred and Twenty (120), and the east half of lot Number One Hundred and Twenty-one (121), all in the original plat of the City of Fort Wayne, being sixty feet fronting on East Wayne street, in said city. The same has been appraised in two parcels, to-wit: The east twenty feet thereof and the west forty feet thereof, and will be sold in parcels or as a whole to the best advantage, and will continue said sale from day to day until sold.

Terms of sale: Said real estate will be sold free and clear of the line in favor of Charles F. Pfeiffer. Payments, one-third cash in hand, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years; the deferred payments to be secured by notes waiving relief from valuation and appraisement laws, drawing six per cent interest from date of sale and secured by mortgage upon the premises.

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LOCAL LINES.

Ed. M. Wilson is transacting business in Ligonier.

A. Mergentheim is spending a few days in Chicago.

W. L. Clark, of Columbia City, is in Fort Wayne today.

W. W. Orreck is transacting business at Cadillac, Mich.

Miss Bernadette Blee has returned from a visit at Aboite.

Frank McBennett, of Chicago, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Miss Laura Peltier has returned from a visit in New York city.

Miss Carrie Tinkham, of Leo, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Tinkham.

Miss Sadie Rockhill is visiting friends in Chicago for a few days.

Mrs. I. Aaron, of Buffalo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Falk.

Fort Wayne Lodge No. 116, K. of P., will give a luncheon and smoker this evening.

Miss Emma Hughes, of Walnut street, is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

The Athena Thimble club will be entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Ralph Sharp.

Mrs. L. P. Hulburd has returned from a visit in Green Springs and other points in Ohio.

Miss Emma Rothschild, of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Aaron Rothschild.

Miss Bessie Colerick has returned from a visit of several weeks with friends in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Phil H. Werstein, of 16 East Williams street, who has been quite ill with grip, is convalescent.

Mrs. E. W. Dodes will return from Champaign, Ill., her former home, tomorrow, after an extended visit.

Miss Hanker returns today from Chicago, where she has been purchasing favors for her next german.

John W. White and daughter, Virginia, have gone to Washington, D. C., and will visit in Old Point Comfort.

The Misses Henrietta and Louise Eckart left today for Mansfield, O., for a month's vacation to visit friends.

Mrs. George Likley, of 295 West Jefferson street, lost a $10 bill upon Calhoun street, or in some of the stores yesterday.

Joseph Clark, declared insane and not yet accepted by the asylum at Richmond, has been removed to the county infirmary.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew McDarby, of 22 West Jefferson street, fell and fractured his left arm yesterday.

George Stallkamp, Charles A. Lang and Miss Lillie Lang, of Delphos, spent Sunday in the city the guests of Miss Alice Carroll.

Miss Mary Louise Hazzard, of Peoria, Ill., is spending a few days in the city. Miss Hazzard spoke at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Smith, of Sioux City, Ia., were guests of honor at a small company given last evening by Mrs. H. G. Granger.

Mrs. McNutt, of 107 Lafayette street, assisted by Mesdames Majors, Tibbetts and McLeish, entertained Queen Esther lodge this afternoon.

The resignations of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Woods as readers for the Christian Science church were accepted at a meeting of the congregation last evening.

Miss Wheelhouse, of Chicago, and M. S. Benedict, of Syracuse, N. Y., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Morlan, have returned to their respective homes.

Peter Ofenloch, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Draths, of Chicago, were united in marriage in that city. Mr. Ofenloch is proprietor of a grocery on South Hanna street.

A meeting of the choral union of the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ will be held this evening. A meeting of the men of the church will be held on Friday evening.

Miss Ada Bowser entertained at progressive carroms last evening in compliment to Miss Fannie Russell, of Grand Rapids. Prizes were won by Miss Edna Sauer and Frank Bechtol.

George Streicher, the Aveline House barber, is having placed in his shop an apparatus operated by liquid air, to be used in drying the faces and hair of patrons after a shave or hair cut.

Prof. Jared G. C. Troop, who delivered an interesting lecture on Thackery at the high school last week, will deliver a similar lecture some time next month under the auspices of the Shakespeare club.

Floyd Daineaugh, of Benton Harbor, Mich., is the guest of Miss Felix, of Heustis avenue. Mr. Daineaugh was first lieutenant of company I, Thirty-third Michigan volunteers, in the war with Spain.

The allowing heads of committees have been appointed to take charge of the coming state convention of the Elks to be held in this city: Committee on advertising, Louis Hellbroner; social session, Sid Hubbard; music and musical entertainments, B. O. Rankin; parades, William Meyer, jr.; subscriptions, Henry Monning; carnival day, John Moor, jr.; decorations, John B. Reuss; general reception, O. Will Wilson. The heads will select their own assistants.

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All serious lung troubles begin with a tickling in the throat. You can stop this at first in a single night; a dose at bedtime puts the throat at complete rest.

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A SUBSTANTIAL INSTITUTION.

The semi-annual meeting of the directors of the Tri-State Building and Loan association was held yesterday in the rooms of the association, and much routine business was transacted. The financial report showed a most flattering condition of affairs, the showing being the best ever made by the association. The financial report showed that the assets had increased $250,000 during the past six months, the present assets being $2,500,000. The officers of the association are: President, G. W. Pixley; vice president, D. N. Foster; secretary, C. A. Wilding; treasurer, George W. Bell; attorney, Judge Vesey. There are nineteen directors. The Tri-State Building and Loan association is a strong and substantial financial institution, operated by Fort Wayne capital, and an institution of which our citizens may well feel proud.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

William L. Leah, of Bluffton, this morning filed in the United States court here a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. He is a teamster, and the liabilities are placed at $1,345.71, with assets of $588. Shappe & Sturgis are attorneys.

THE WAYFARING MAN.

Though a Fool Would Have to Draw the Same Conclusion.

"'Coffee soup' was a common dish on our table during my boyhood. My family were farmers and we used to have early breakfast, then a lunch at 10 and at 3 p. m., beside the regular meals. We always had the coffee pot on the stove and 'coffee soup' was a regular part of each meal.

"I very well remember when 11 years old, overhearing my teacher say of me, 'the most nervous child I ever saw.' I was a constant sufferer with dyspepsia, sour stomach, and indigestion in its worst form, belching, etc. Finally a liver trouble came on and I had three different attacks of gall stones.

"In addition to this I was a complete nervous wreck, sleeping but very little at night. I was thin, sallow, and exhausted, with a bilious complexion. After all these years of suffering, when I reached the age of thirty it gradually dawned on me, three years ago, that I was a coffee fiend and a coffee wreck.

"Some one told me to quit coffee and go to using Postum Food Coffee. I am a professional man now, doing a large amount of mental work. Within a short time after leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee, I began to improve. Now I am proud to say that the indigestion and dyspepsia have disappeared. The liver and stomach are sound. I sleep like a log and have gained thirty pounds in flesh.

"My spirits are at the top notch. I am fresh, rugged and rosy. The old dull, sallow complexion is gone. My habits are in every particular the same as in the years before, except that I have abandoned the coffee habit for all time. Am I not right in drawing the conclusion that the wayfaring man, though a fool, would have to draw, that the change is entirely due to leaving off coffee and the use of Postum Food Coffee?

"I have a friend, Mr. Frank Furbush, who was as bad a wreck as I, with like symptoms, plus excessive nausea and vomiting. Six months of no coffee and the use of Postum has put him right. He is now as fresh as a new born babe. His wife, who was also a sufferer from coffee, has recovered, and they are both in a fine condition of health, but I was compelled to hold a coffin before them, metaphorically, before I could scare them out of the coffee habit. Please omit my name." Name given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

LOCAL NEWS.

Merton Epstein, of Toledo, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Miss Anna Schiemer entertained the Monday evening club last night.

Mrs. Norah Gause is in the city in the interests of the Humane society.

Mrs. C. S. Bash will entertain a company of friends at cards this evening.

The members of the Standard club will enjoy an informal hop on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. John Evans entertained a few friends informally last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Werts, of Chicago, who have been the guests of Mrs. C. C. Vesserlat and daughters, have returned home.

The College Place Improvement company has purchased from the heirs of the late Frank Alderman the property formerly owned by him in the new plat.

Col. D. N. Foster and George H. Ollar have returned from Grand Rapids, Mich., where they attended the furniture exhibition, which is held in that city semi-annually.

Thomas R. Nesbit, of Memphis, Tenn., has returned home after a visit with friends in the city. Mr. Nesbit will bring his family here in the spring and make Fort Wayne his home.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two-room cottage; everything furnished for light housekeeping; also furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping if desired. 39 W. Washington. 22-6t

MONEY TO LOAN—Money to loan at 4½ and 5 per cent, with privilege of partial payments; also money loaned on personal security; property for sale. P. A. & F. P. Randall, Bass Block, Fort Wayne. d-wtf

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LOST—A little flag pin set in diamonds, sapphires and rubies; liberal reward for return to 96 W. Berry.

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WANTED—A domestic at 1328 E. Main St. 22-3t

WANTED—A good cook at once. Hattie Hyke, No. 5 Pearl St. 22tf

WANTED—Washings to do at home; will call for and deliver same. At 155 Wallace. 19-tf

WANTED—A good, competent girl for general housework. Apply at 302 W. Washington. 4tf

WANTED—A Christian lady for city or country position; liberal salary. Address "Profit," care Sentinel. 22-2t

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

WANTED—A German girl for general housework. Inquire at Mrs. Henry Gerberding, 485 E. Washington St. 22-2t

WANTED—An Idea. The wheat-binding machine is a success. A corn harvester would pay. W. G. Burns, Patent Attorney, 80 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Every man, woman, and child to call at the Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000. Interest paid on deposits. 8tf

WANTED—Mrs. Fitzgerald's employment office, 39 W. Washington St., have first-class girls and good housekeepers wanting places, in or out of city; places waiting for dining room girls out of city; good stenographer wants place. 16-tf

WANTED—Those who are sick and afflicted, discouraged and in despair, to know that Nature's cure and self-use of our Oxygenating Instruments has cured hundreds of hopeless cases. Do not suffer. It is a pleasure for us to explain this treatment. Ring up 580 or 1483. Schmitz Block. C. W. Bussard, Manager.

WANTED—Coins, gold dollars, halves, quarters and $3 pieces, U. S. fractional currency, 3c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c (paper); large U. S. cents and half cents; flying eagle cents 1856; rare old U. S. stamps. A good premium will be paid for any of these. Apply, Dr. J. A. Williams, 98 Calhoun St., upstairs. 12-14 1mo

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. 24 W. Berry St. 1-8-1m

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, $10.00; 4-room flat, $9.00. Enquire 224 Lafayette St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with bath and gas. Inquire, 22 West Main St. 12-1mo.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage at No. 9 Hough street. Inquire at rooms 1 and 2, Pixley-Long Bldg.

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished front room at 110 W. Jefferson St. Very desirable for gentleman. 21t4

FOR RENT—Pleasant rooms, single or en suite, with privilege of bath, and board if desired, 15 Clay St., near Berry. 7-tf

FOR RENT—The two store rooms fronting on Berry street, in Minds block, northwest corner of Berry and Harrison streets. Inquire at the Old National bank. 6-tf

FOR RENT—About February 10, two modern seven-room cottages, one-half block east of Reservoir park, on Creighton avenue. Inquire at 146 East DeWald street. 19-6t

FOR RENT—A pleasant furnished room with board; can also accommodate a few table boarders; bath and all conveniences; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington St. 6-1mo

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, for light housekeeping; all modern improvements; at 114 Clinton street; also one nice furnished room, with or without board. 16t6

FOR RENT—No. 224 West Creighton ave.; nice for small family; $10. Also No. 401 South Hanna St., 8 rooms and barn; reasonable. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR RENT—A store room; 40 Maumee Ave, which has been occupied continuously for ten years as a grocery; living rooms very convenient and a part of the building; rent reasonable. Inquire at 42 Maumee Ave. 3-tf

FOR RENT—Dwellings Nos. 187 W. Berry St., 273 W. Wayne St., 330 W. Washington St., 208 W. DeWald St., 32 E. Berry St., office rooms; 33 St. Mary's Ave.; property to sell and money to loan. Schrader & Wilson, No. 7 Court St. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either on Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1086, new 'phone floor

Miss Kate Shea has gone to Chicago for a visit of a few weeks.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—An upright piano; good as new; a bargain. Call at 10 Hurd St. 22-tf

FOR SALE—160 acres, 7 miles from Fort Wayne. Address Fred Rolland, Rural route No. 6, city. 1-15 2m d w

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18-tf

FOR SALE—New, modern residence on West Washington boulevard, only $4,500. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Two houses on West Third street; pavement and all improvements paid. Inquire, 120 West Third street. 22t2

FOR SALE—A choice farm, south of city; belongs to heirs and must sell; it is certainly a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage, with barn, West Williams street; pavement paid; only $1,450. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I will sell the Updike residence, 46 Huestis avenue, for Ohio parties, regardless of value. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Eighty-one acre farm, suitable for dairy, three miles s. w. of city, near McMahen farm; only $35 per acre. W. E. Doud, over old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Some choice building lots on West Creighton, Fairfield and South Broadway; finest residence location. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—New 11 room, thoroughly modern residence, on West Main St., first block east of bridge; will go at a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Meat Market; in a good location; doing good business; reason for selling owner leaving city. Address Meat Market, care Sentinel. 22-d-5t-w-1t

FOR SALE—Business property on Calhoun street, near Columbia; for price and terms call on Lennart & Zorbaugh, No. 81 Calhoun St., second floor. 22t6

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and top buggy; horse seven years old, good driver and safe; outfit in good condition; will sell for $100; worth more money. Call at 415 S. Calhoun street. 2-tf

FOR SALE—Good 7 room house, with lot 36x149 feet; one block west of Calhoun, between Berry and Brackenridge; $2,600. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Four Caligraph typewriters at $25 each; as good as new; one Blickensderfer at $20. We buy, sell, rent and repair typewriters at Libbing & Co., 39 E. Main St.

FOR SALE—Two-story residence on W. Creighton ave., near Fairfield; price, $2,100; the best bargain offered in this city for months. Lennart & Zorbaugh, No. 81 Calhoun St., second floor. 22t6

FOR SALE—Bargains—3½ acres, 9 room house, fine location, near city; will take city property in part payment. Vacant and improved property in all parts of the city; some good bargains. J. T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-11-1m

FOR SALE—A first-class brick house on Baker street; must be sold. Also two good seven-room houses on Walton Ave. These houses are new. Well sell on part payment down; balance monthly payments. Who wants a fine lot on W. Wayne St? Will build for you on these lots. Come and see me and find out particulars. L. F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 1-3-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade—Land for good city property. One 500 acre tract, good buildings; one 262 acre tract, good buildings; two 40 acre tracts, good buildings; two 40 acre tracts, without buildings; one fine 40 acre tract, prepared for 2,000 chickens, and plenty of good buildings; 280 acre tract, with good buildings on; one 3 acre tract, good buildings; one brick hotel of 24 rooms, at Avilla, Ind. All in Allen county, Ind. For further particulars, call on R. C. Niswonger & Co., 18 Harrison St., Fort Wayne. 6-26-d&w-tf

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, JAN. 22, 1901.

TONIGHT.

- Machinists—Regular meeting of No. 70 at 128 Calhoun street, third floor.
- Plasterers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Pearl and Harrison streets, second floor.
- Steam Engineers—Regular meeting of No. 70 at Main and Clinton streets, third floor.
- Women's Label League—Regular meeting of No. 17 at 27 East Berry street, third floor.
- City Council—Regular meeting in city hall.
- Lodges—Grand Fraternity; Order of the Red Cross; Fort Wayne No. 116, Knights of Pythias; St. Julian Council No. 87, C. B. L.; Fort Wayne No. 1, Daughters of Workmen; Edwards Camp No. 3127, Modern Woodmen of America; Wayne Castle No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagle; Degree of Honor No. 2; Starlight Council, Order of Chosen Friends; Home No. 342, F. & A. M.; Allen No. 29, Degree of Honor; Daniel O'Connel Council No. 253, C. B. L.; Deborah No. 110, D. of R.; Darius Council, Princes of Jerusalem.
- Masonic Temple—Week's events: Tuesday Evening—The Tyrolean Concert Company, under auspices of the Women's Club League. Thursday Evening—"Miss Hobbs."
- Evangelistic Services—At Bethany Presbyterian church, by Rev. Frank Miller; at Wayne street M. E. church, by Rev. J. Fenwick Reed.

Mr. Rosewater, as well as other busy Nebraska gentlemen, would be glad to get exclusive information from Uncle Shelby Cullom as to how he did the job so neatly.

That West Point investigation closed in a blaze of good feeling. The cadets have sworn off, the congressional committee declares itself more than satisfied, and the whole atmosphere is pleasant. From which we are at liberty to conclude that no one will be hazed again until the next time.

Another deadly French duel has resulted in a scratch on one duelist's arm and a general destruction of fine shirt sleeves. But the honor of Count de Lubersac and Baron Robert Rothschild is satisfied. When honor can thus be vindicated it might be better served by a match in potato digging.

The expansion of this country from within is bound to come, whether our expansion abroad is much or little. The pressure of population will in time seize upon all lands of whatever character, and extensive and valuable forest areas, unless protected in some way by the co-operation of the state and national governments, will be denuded of timber and left barren and worthless. What is wanted for the future is a broader and more intelligent and comprehensive land policy than that which has prevailed in the past.

DEATH OF ROBERT C. BELL.

The death of Robert Clark Bell will strike a responsive chord of sorrow in every person who knew him. Fort Wayne will regret profoundly the loss of this distinguished citizen and eminent lawyer. Those friends whose good fortune it was to be admitted to his intimacy will feel the keen grief inseparable from the loss of one well beloved.

Mr. Bell was a rare man. To a native intellect of the first order he added many choice accomplishments. He had read deeply, traveled widely and cultivated men everywhere. His information of books, men and affairs was vast. Association with him was more than interesting; it was captivating. The rare charm of his personality before disease had begun to blunt his faculties and dull the glow of his genius is almost indescribable. His inborn gentleness of manner, his unaffected gentility, the simple courtliness of his bearing and demeanor attracted men to him and made them his friends unawares. His temper was soft and equable. Few ever saw him betray irritation or anger. His courage was high and his determination great, but he possessed the secret of being strong, vigorous and frank without raging. His fidelity to his friends was wholly incorruptible and his confidence in them without bounds. Oftentimes that confidence was betrayed and it made him sorrow to find that one to whom he had given his trust and esteem was without desert, but it never weakened his faith in the friends who remained. Those to whom was given the fortune to be taken into the inner circle of his intimacy will always cherish the most delightful, refreshing and lovable memories of Robert C. Bell, his whole-souled hospitality, his glowing mind and his lofty soul. With hearts sore stricken, they will see the form of this gentle, kindly man borne to the grave.

AT FIRST GLANCE.

It Would Appear That Local Remedies Would Be Best for Cure of Catarrh.

It would seem at first glance that catarrh being a disease of the mucous membrane; that salves, sprays, etc., being applied directly to the membranes of the nose and throat, would be the most rational treatment but this has been proven not to be true.

The mucous membrane is made and repaired from the blood and catarrh is a blood disease and any remedy to make a permanent cure must act on the blood, and when the blood is purified from catarrhal poison, the secretions from the mucous membrane will become natural and healthy.

In this climate, thousands of people seem scarcely ever free from some form of catarrh; it gets better at times but each winter becomes gradually deeper seated and after a time the sufferer resigns himself to it as a necessary evil.

Catarrh cures are almost as numerous as catarrh sufferers, but are nearly all so inconvenient and ineffective as to render their use a nuisance nearly as annoying as catarrh itself; anyone who has used douches, sprays and powders will bear witness to their inconvenience and failure to really cure.

There are a number of excellent internal remedies for catarrh, but probably the best and certainly the safest is a new remedy, composed of Eucalyptol, Hydrastis, Sanguinaria and other valuable catarrh specifics.

This remedy is in tablet form, pleasant to the taste and sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and anyone suffering from catarrh may use these tablets with absolutely assurance that they contain no cocaine, opiate nor any poisonous mineral whatever.

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THE BASE BALL SITUATION

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION IS FORMALLY LAUNCHED.

New Sporting Child Born in New York Under Auspices Favorable —Strobel the Wailer.

New York, Jan. 22.—So far as the preliminary work is concerned, the new base ball organization, to be known as the American association, was successfully launched when the National board of arbitration granted the promoters the concessions they desired in certain cities.

The new league will work under the rules of the National agreement, which is a measure to preserve territorial rights and prevent attempts to lure players from one club to another. This move of the National league, which in reality is behind the National board of arbitration, is a war measure to kill the threatened competition from the American league. W. H. Watkins, of Indianapolis, for the present will act as president, secretary and treasurer.

The American association will not be in Class A of the protected base ball clubs. A special arrangement has been entered into whereby the organization will be "in a class of its own" on a standard above all now existing in base ball. So far as possible the National league will deal with it upon the same footing as it dealt with the American association of days gone by.

The circuit, as now constituted, is composed of Milwaukee, backed by Quinn and Havenor; Indianapolis, with W. H. Watkins; Louisville, with Harry Pulliam; Detroit, with A. H. Koch; Boston, with Arthur Irwin and W. D. Brown; Philadelphia, with Hezekiah Niles; Baltimore, with W. H. Clark, and Washington, with W. C. Fryer and T. P. Nyes. It is possible this circuit will not be adhered to, according to the promoters. They may take other cities.

Players will be negotiated with as soon as the National league clubs have taken their leaving on to the men whom they will retain for the next season. Those who are released will be signed by the new league. Salaries will not be much less than they are the National league.

Information from a reliable source tends to the belief that the ball players at an early meeting will take action in regard to the pledge made not to sign contracts. Several of them have come to the opinion that the present time is not the best to make any radical changes in the methods that govern the sport. A number are anxious to sign with their employers, and have so stated to other players. The American league, which the new organization will meet in conflicting games, has not been successful in leasing grounds in all the cities of its circuit, but Johnson, the president, says at the next meeting, to be held in Chicago on January 28, he will have the affairs of the organization in good shape.

A meeting of the new American association was held at the Marlborough hotel. The only question of importance that came up was the drafting of players. It was finally decided that each club could pick from its team five men who could not be claimed by the National league. This practically kills the drafting system so far as the American association is concerned, and allows each club the chance to build up a good team. The next meeting of the association will be held shortly after the National league schedule is [illegible].

The prompt action of the National league and its representative board in recognizing the new association will do much toward facilitating movements in the base ball world in general and the Inter-State league in particular. The circuit question is now presented in a tangible form and the Inter-State committee can proceed intelligently knowing that nothing can now intervene to upset calculations. Within a very short time the list of towns to be included in the circuit will be completed and the organization of clubs will immediately follow. It is still interesting to hear the hot air generator at Toledo puffing away. The following dispatch is the latest spasm from the erstwhile magnate whose wonderful team died a 'bornin':

STROBEL TALKS SOME MORE.

"Manager Charles J. Strobel, of the Toledo base ball team, was found in his office today busily engaged in reading and filing away stacks of letters and documents, and, strange to say, none of them had any bearing on base ball. When asked in regard to the base ball situation and the chances of Toledo being in a representative league next season, Mr. Strobel stopped work suddenly, and, in emphatic words, spoke as follows:

"'If Toledo can't get into a representative base ball league I can assure you there will be no base ball played here next season. I would rather board up the grand stand, lock the gates and pass base ball up this year entirely than be compelled to go into the Inter-State league with little country towns again.'"

Poor Strobel! He dies hard and can not understand why it is that he don't cut a wider swath in the base ball meadow than he does. He still imagines that he is the whole thing in Toledo and it will be observed that he announces with great positiveness that there will be no base ball in Toledo this year if he has to play with country clubs. With that same crowd of county clubs to play with last year it will be noticed Strobel's Mud Hens could do no better than get to third place and had a hard time of it to get there. But there will be base ball in Toledo just the same. There are "gentlemen" in Toledo who stand ready to back a club for any amount, provided Strobel is kept out of the deal and that gentleman's harmless mouthings do not cut any more figure in Toledo than they do in Stockholm. Poor Strobel!

NEWS GATHERED IN COURTS

Sheriff Stout left for Jeffersonville this morning having in charge the two boys, Bixler and Terry, sent to the reformatory for the McCulloch hog stealing. The sheriff was accompanied by Harry Metzger as special deputy.

The Citizens' Trust company has commenced suit in foreclosure against David E. and Mary A. Walters; demand $5,000.

John M. Culver has filed his bond as administrator of the estate of Henry Culver, deceased.

Commissioner Moudy and Auditor Meyer are engaged in posting notices in the township of Wayne for the railroad subsidy election to be held February 5th.

BEFORE JUDGE AIKEN.

The case of Mary Voight vs. the city of Fort Wayne was continued by agreement. The case is in process of settlement.

In the case of Edward Gilmartin vs. the Wayne Fishing club, a settlement was reached out of court and the case was dismissed, each of the parties to the suit paying half the costs.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

In France's court this morning Louis Girardot, of Maples, was fined $1 and costs for profanity, on affidavit of Anias Boles. Girardot then turned about and filed an affidavit against Boles for assault.

Osie Stewart, an inmate at Hattie Tyke's harmio, had decided to seek other fields, but her trunk was detained by her landlady. She went before France and instituted replevin proceedings. The justice suggested that she would be required to give bond for the costs. "Well, I'm the girl that can do it," said Osie as she made a dive toward the floor. There was a flash of crinoline and variegated hosiery that made the judge blush clear to his toes, but out of the panorama somewhere Osie's hand came triumphant with a wad of bills big enough to choke a sexer.

Constable Westrumb went to Huntertown last night, where he arrested Mrs. Rosa Cotterman, whose home is, or was between Antwerp and Defiance. Her husband came to the city yesterday and said his wife had eloped with another man, that he had traced them to Huntertown and wanted them both arrested. Warrants were issued by Justice Bullerman and the constable was dispatched on the job. He returned with the woman but the man was not at the house where the woman was found and has probably skipped for parts unknown by this time. The woman is young and not bad looking.

Peter Michael was charged with assault and battery on Daniel Monahan. Justice Bullerman heard the evidence and discharged the prisoner, the evidence being insufficient.

All the Woodburn cases to have been tried at the several justices' courts today have been continued until Saturday.

HUMANE SOCIETY'S MEETING

WENT OVER THE WORK OF THE PAST TEN MONTHS.

Resolutions Endorse the Efforts of Mrs. Gause and Plead for Humane Education.

The Fort Wayne Humane society held a special meeting this morning at the office of its president, A. M. Bittinger. The report of Humane Officer Schlaudroff, covering the work of the ten months ending January 1, was read and commended and ordered printed in pamphlet form for distribution.

The organizer, Mrs. N. L. Gause, was present, and she was accorded a welcome in the following resolution:

"Resolved, That as Mrs. N. L. Gause has been authorized to collect contributions for the Humane society, we, the board of directors, hereby commend her to the public as its chosen agent for the purpose indicated, with confidence that the liberal support to this worthy object in the past will be continued by our citizens."

The subscriptions and contributions now solicited are to defray the expenses of the work for 1901.

The following resolution on humane education was also adopted:

"Whereas, Evidences of cruelty still abound, and much extreme carelessness in handling animals is daily reported, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That our educators be earnestly solicited to co-operate in reaching the people with humane instruction; that our school superintendents and teachers be encouraged to grasp every opportunity to inculcate kindness in the hearts of the children; to daily remind them of the beauty and importance of all animal life, and of the unnecessary abuse that is almost continually heaped upon the dumb creation."

WAYNE STREET MEETINGS.

The attendance at the Wayne street services last evening was the best seen at a Monday evening service recently, and the sermon by Rev. M. Reed was a very strong and earnest one. His theme was "How Can a Man Be Converted," and was so strong and practical as to go to the very bottom of the subject. It made a profound impression and bore immediate fruit, as several arose to answer the question, "Do you want to know God personally?" The interest was very deep, and the prospects are very encouraging for great meetings this week. The public is cordially invited to these services each evening at 7:30.

MAURICE THOMPSON VERY ILL.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Jan. 22.—Maurice Thompson, the author, who has been ill the past six weeks, is stated to be extremely weak. His physicians announced today that his condition is not at all encouraging.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

for her researches in the field of electricity, had the honor the other evening of dining with the 360 members of the Institution of Electrical Engineer, at the Hotel Cecil, in London. Her presence brought up the novel question how she should be recognized by the speakers at the dinner. The earlier speakers said, "My lords, lady, and gentlemen," which sounded odd. The Lord Chief Justice improved on this with "My lords, Mrs. Ayrton, and gentlemen," while Sir John Wolfe Barry struck out the formula, "My lords, madam, and gentlemen." Mrs. Ayrton some time ago justified her election to membership by a thoroughly scientific essay "On the Hissing of the Electric Arc," a subject which she still further investigated, and on which she read a paper, in completion of her enquiry, at the recent meeting of the institution in Paris.

George Streicher, of the Aveline barber shop, has returned from Chicago, where he went to inspect the application of compressed air for tonsorial purposes. He was so impressed with it that he immediately ordered a complete outfit, the same as is used in the metropolitan shops, and it will be installed immediately in his parlors. Compressed air is used for spraying toilet waters, drying the face and hair and for many other purposes of like character.

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STRANGE BELIEF.

A new sect in Indiana, known as the Jamrelites, has decided to settle in Scotland. One of their prophets has fixed on a near date as that on which the world will come to an end, and his followers believe that they are to ascend heavenward from the summit of a Scottish mountain.

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DR. B. [illegible]—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex may consult me free of charge at my office, 12 W. Wayne St. Telephone 265.

ROBERT C. BELL DEAD.

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other from Indianapolis, and in the list Mr. Bell's friends, both in private and professional life, will be represented.

Thursday morning at 7:10 o'clock the funeral party will leave over the Lake Erie and Western railway for Muncie, where the funeral services proper will be held in the Universalist church on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Crosley officiating.

The interment will be at the cemetery at that city, where the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bell, together with other relatives of the family, are buried.

TELEGRAMS OF SYMPATHY.

During the day many absent friends of Mr. Bell have sent words of sympathy and condolence to add to the expressions of his friends at home. Among the telegrams are messages from Governor W. T. Durbin, Hon. S. E. Morss, R. E. Gregory, of Muncie; Edward Hawkins, of Indianapolis, formerly United States marshal; Senator S. B. Fleming, A. E. Manning, of Indianapolis, and others. Governor Durbin's telegram is as follows:

"Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 22.—Mrs. R. C. Bell, Fort Wayne, Ind.: Accept my sincere sympathy in your bereavement. Your husband was my good friend and my grief is mingled with yours. W. T. Durbin."

THE STORY OF HIS LIFE.

Robert Clark Bell was a native of Indiana—a product of the blending and the growth of sturdy Hoosier manhood with loftiest character and keenest intelligence. He was consistently loyal first to the state of Indiana, its people and its institutions. His pride in the state of his birth and of his residence amounted to a devotion, and he lost no opportunity to speak a word, dignifiedly and without ostentation, however, in defense of Indiana's exalted position in commerce, in law and in letters.

Mr. Bell was born at Clarksburg, Decatur county, July 13, 1844. His earliest ancestors were natives of Ireland; his grandparents of Virginian descent, and his grandfather, John Bell, was a soldier in the war of 1812. His father, Hiram Bell, was a native of Maysville, Ky., and married Mary J. Clark, a native of Lexington, in that state, whose father, Woodson Clark, emigrated to Indiana about 1820 and founded the town of Clarksburg, where Mr. Bell was born. Robert Clark Bell was the eldest of eleven children. His father, Hiram Bell, lost his life by an accident in 1879.

Boyhood days were spent upon a farm, and the embryo jurist, scholar and orator knew and experienced to the fullest measure the arduous toils and the few compensating pleasures of pioneer days upon an Indiana farm. It was a valuable school of experience, however, and its hardships taught him lessons whose impress never left him life. It was his pleasure, during the most successful days of his professional career, to relate with infinite zest some of those pioneer experiences to fittingly illustrate a point or to illuminate a moral.

SERVED AS A SOLDIER.

His opportunities were perhaps no more and no less than the average boy of his day, and his earliest education was that received in the common schools of Decatur county. Later he began teaching in the district schools of his county to raise money for a proper academic training previous to entering a higher educational institution.

The great civil war began. Future prospects and previous plans were for the time pushed aside and Robert C. Bell with thousands of other loyal young Americans of his type, answered his country's call. In February, 1862, he organized a company of his fellow students and with them was mustered into the Eighth Indiana volunteer infantry. He saw active service for six months with his company and was then transferred to the One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Indiana regiment. His field service thereafter was brief, for his executive abilities were recognized by the corps commander and he was ere long assigned to detached duty, and served at Nashville until the end of the war.

He returned to civil life to take up his plans where he hurriedly dropped them some years before, and after a brief academic course entered the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. From boyhood the legal profession had appealed to Mr. Bell, and he entered upon its study with tremendous vigor, demonstrating early in his career much of the intellectual power which illumined his ripened professional career. He was formally admitted to the bar at Muncie in 1867, one year previous to the date of his graduation from Ann Arbor.

HIS FIRST PARTNERSHIP.

Returning to Muncie after receiving his degree the young attorney entered at once upon the practice of his profession, forming almost at once a partnership with Hon. Alfred Kilgore, of that city. Judge Kilgore was at that time United States district attorney for Indiana. Mr. Bell became his assistant, and at once gained standing as a practitioner in the federal courts, a prestige which gave him an opportunity to quickly demonstrate his fitness for rank in the highest legal circles of the state.

Fort Wayne held out a more promising field for a professional career than did Muncie, and hither Mr. Bell came early in 1871. He was most kindly received, for the members of the profession in this city were quick to recognize the already marked ability of the young lawyer and he at once formed a partnership with Hon. John Colerick, who had been the democratic nominee for congress in this district the year previous. Mr. Colerick was a brother of Judge W. G. Colerick, Henry Colerick and P. B. Colerick, and the firm of Colerick & Bell occupied offices at the present location of the abstract offices of Kuhne & Co., on Court street. The partnership was not long lived, however, for it was dissolved by the death of Mr. Colerick in March, 1872.

Mr. Bell was next found as a member of the law firm of Coombs, Miller & Bell, made up of the late William H. Coombs, William H. H. Miller, afterwards attorney general of the United States under President Harrison, and Mr. Bell. In Mr. Bell's law office today may be found the desk used by Mr. Miller at this time, and it had always been carefully preserved by him as a memento of his distinguished professional associate. The firm continued unbroken until the removal of Mr. Miller to Indianapolis, and Judge John Morris became a member, the firm then being styled Coombs, Morris & Bell.

WERE MANY CHANGES.

The career of Mr. Bell is marked by many changes in professional associations, but it is to be noted that in each case his firm was to be found in the very front rank of legal circles of its day, and his career was one of honorable and distinguished successes. Upon the appointment of Judge Morris to the position of supreme court commissioner of Indiana, Samuel L. Morris became a member of the firm, which then became known as Coombs, Bell & Morris.

Later Judge Coombs retired from active practice, and the firm continued as Bell & Morris for several years. It was followed by the formation of one of the very strongest legal partnerships that ever existed in northern Indiana—Morris, Bell, Barrett & Morris—comprising Judge John Morris, Mr. Bell, Hon. J. M. Barrett and S. L. Morris. The association was often referred to as the "Big four," and was, indeed, notable from the splendid ability of its individual members, from the collective legal strength represented, and from the magnitude of its business and its triumphs.

It was dissolved after some years and for a time Mr. Bell was in the south recuperating his health, which had become impaired from assiduous devotion to professional cares. Returning to Fort Wayne, he resumed practice alone, paying little attention to any professional work outside his railroad interests. February 1, 1898, Mr. Bell formed a partnership with N. D. Doughman under the firm name of Bell & Doughman, and this partnership continued down to the present time.

HIS MASTERY OF THE LAW.

Mr. Bell was both by nature and by training eminently fitted for the legal profession. His ambition and his intellect rose above the mere "practice" of the profession. He was a great lawyer in its broadest and truest sense. He possessed a grasp and a conception of legal principles broad as the foundations of law itself. It was to railroad and corporation law, however, that he devoted his chiefest endeavors and in this field he was truly a master.

For many years he had been the attorney for the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, for the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad and for other lines, as well as for banks and other corporations, and was always in demand because of his distinguished ability and his mastery of the laws bearing upon questions affecting such a clientele. His triumphs here were notable.

The most eminent attorneys of this and other states have freely accorded to Mr. Bell the most distinguished recognition as a foremost practitioner and an authority upon the principles of law. In Mr. Bell was the "old school" modernized, and he brought into the practice the keen intellect that could foresee and provide for contingencies before they were at hand. His forte lay not alone in legal knowledge, but in his concise and elegant manner of applying it. He was eloquent, clear and logical both in his oral arguments and in his pleadings. He usually permitted his opponents to indulge, if they chose, in vehement declamation and gesticulation while he quietly and unostentatiously set forth the law. His opponents were given full sway for their choice of loud declamation, while Mr. Bell directed his effort to quiet argument and marshalling of facts. His legal career was one of eminent distinction, crowned with continued and honorable success.

A LEADER IN POLITICS.

Mr. Bell was no less eminent in the field of politics than in his professional career, and he ranked among the foremost of Indiana democratic leaders. So universally was this fact recognized that aside from being repeatedly distinguished by his party with positions of honor, he was again and again called into counsel by democratic leaders of the state when questions of moment to the party and the people were under consideration. His foresight was keen, his judgment rarely erred, and his opinions always carried great weight.

He was always a democrat, and as did his father before him, always took an active interest in politics. His first public position was that of United States commissioner in this city, a position which he resigned in 1874 upon his election to the state senate from Allen county. In the senate Mr. Bell quickly took rank as a leader, and his legal ability was at once recognized in his appointment as a member of the committee on judiciary. He kept close to the people he represented, was active and vigilant in their interests, and demonstrated once more his marvelous capacity for work.

In 1880 Mr. Bell was again elected to the senate, this time representing the counties of Allen and Whitley, and here again he was signally honored by appointment as chairman of the judiciary committee. This was the last public position held by Mr. Bell, for he was not a seeker after office. He found his chief enjoyment as a private in the political ranks, and every campaign was to be found upholding the principles of his party upon the stump. As a political speaker Mr. Bell was again a leader, and his services were always in demand to an extent far in excess of his time.

An interesting incident in this connection is recalled, for it illustrates the keen appreciation of his nature. More than twenty-five years ago early in his career as a political speaker, Mr. Bell closed a campaign the night before the election at the little town of Arcola, in this county. He was so kindly and enthusiastically received that in every campaign following it Mr. Bell was invited to make the closing address at Arcola. This he did through more than twenty-five years, and though many pretentious cities and towns made repeated requests for his services as a speaker in closing the campaign, Mr. Bell declined them all in order to go to Arcola and talk to his steadfast friends of years ago.

IN A TRYING POSITION.

In 1884 Mr. Bell was chosen a delegate-at-large from Indiana to the Chicago convention which nominated Cleveland and Hendricks for president and vice president respectively.

Mr. Bell was chosen to preside over the democratic state convention at Indianapolis June 24 and 25, 1896, and on this memorable occasion Mr. Bell achieved one of the notable triumphs of his political career.

It was his calm, firm, skilled, parliamentary grace and tact that saved the state political organization from perhaps absolute disruption on that occasion. Mr. Bell was never other than a gentleman and his mildness in ruling during the early hours of the convention appeared to strengthen a prominent disturbing element present with the evident purpose of disrupting that large body of more than 1,700 delegates from every part of the state.

Leading this opposition was ex-Congressman Bynum, and Chairman Bell watched for a time the attempt to disturb the deliberations of the great body until it reached a point where it could no longer be tolerated. It was then that Mr. Bell's parliamentary skill flashed forth and with a courageous firmness he put an end to the disturbing element. The opposition had met in the suave and mild-mannered presiding officer a man more than worthy of his steel, and in the light of later results Mr. Bell was credited with having saved Indiana democracy from disruption on the very eve of the opening of a great political campaign.

Recognition as a leader, both in a state and national way, has been freely accorded Mr. Bell. He possessed the skill and tact and diplomacy of a leader, and enjoyed the widest acquaintance with public men of his party. This is notably true in the case of William Jennings Bryan, between whom and Mr. Bell there existed the warmest and closest personal friendship. Mr. Bryan has on repeated occasions been a guest at Mr. Bell's palatial home, on West Wayne street, and no more ardent admirer or more forceful champion of the great Nebraskan was to have been found than Mr. Bell.

A KNIGHTLY GENTLEMAN.

Mr. Bell was a gentleman of rare culture and refined tastes, and in professional, social and private life alike these courtly graces were most prominently marked. A very Chesterfield in all the amenities proper between gentlemen in public or private intercourse, he never descended below this knightly level. He detested a mean thought and a mean act, and his lofty soul was above jealousies and personalities. His contests, political and professional, were vigorous and forceful, but they never overstepped the proprieties of a splendid courtesy that permeated his entire life.

Mr. Bell's friendships were strong and lasting. He seemed to possess in a remarkable measure the power of analyzing men and character, and he was very close to minds which, like his own, could know and appreciate and enjoy the fellowship of high intellectual attainment. He was a profound student and a fine scholar, and in his beautiful home is an elaborate literary library which was one of his chief delights. Here are the classics and highly-prized tomes of antiquity, as well as the best from modern authors, and on many occasions in conversation on the widest range of topics Mr. Bell's familiarity with the intellectual wealth of his library was apparent.

He was fond of travel, of the hunt and of the rod, and in 1876 and 1877 made an extended tour of Europe, acquiring a familiarity with old-world conditions that was broad and extensive. He made frequent trips to the south, and in recent years has been in the habit of spending the greater portion of his summers at Bear Lake and other northern Michigan resorts.

MARRIED AT MUNCIE.

Senator Bell was married April 5, 1868, to Miss Clara E. Wolfe, of Muncie, who survives him. There are no children. Mrs. Bell is a lady of rare culture and scholarly attainments, and has been of incalculable assistance to her husband in the notable successes of his professional career. It was one of Mr. Bell's pleasures to lovingly accord his devoted wife the fullest measure of credit for her helpfulness and solicitude during all the years of his active public life. A few years ago Mr. and Mrs. Bell erected a handsome stone residence at 130 West Wayne street, which has since been their home, and where the eminent lawyer passed away. It is one of the most elegantly appointed homes in the city. All the surroundings tell of culture and good taste, while over and above all is the charm of domesticity. Here Mr. Bell has received and entertained countless friends, many of them personages of distinction and others from the ordinary walks of life, bestowing upon all a warmth of splendid hospitality and of charming comradeship that made the visit a delight.

The aged mother of Mr. Bell is still living. She resides with her daughter, at Minneapolis, but is now visiting other children at Springport, Ind. However, she was too feeble to come to his bedside. He was one of a family of eleven children and the first to be called by death, all the others being still living. His brothers are Levi and Woodson Bell, of Arkansas City, Kan.; Charles, of Minneapolis, and Emerson, of Muncie. There are six sisters, Mrs. Ida Bell, of Muncie; Mrs. Lily Colepove, of Minneapolis; Mrs. Margaret Clawson, of Springport, Ind.; Mrs. Anna Sunderland, of Taber, Ind.; Mrs. Mary Longfellow, of Anderson, and Miss Lizzie Bell, of Muncie.

GIFTED PUBLIC SPEAKER.

As a public speaker Senator Bell achieved notable distinction, whether on the stump, upon the platform, in the courts or at a banquet occasion. He was fluent of speech, eloquent in his choice of words, quick at repartee, and his sentences flashed and scintillated with wit, sparkled with a gracious humor or by turns elevated his hearers by their lofty sentiment.

Mr. Bell was actively identified with a number of fraternal organizations. He was a Mason of the thirty-second degree, a charter member of the Scottish Rite bodies of this city, a past eminent commander of Fort Wayne commandery, Knights Templar, and a member of the Mystic Shrine. He was an Odd Fellow, a member of the Caledonian society, a charter member of the Fort Wayne Lodge of Elks, was connected with several legal associations and was an honorary member of the Fort Wayne Press club.

TO CURE THE GRIP.

Advice of a Famous Physician.

First and foremost, REST.

Take care of yourself. Your already weakened nerves want rest and must have it. If the attack is severe go to bed and remain there. More fatalities result from neglect of this precaution than from any other cause.

Eat sparingly. Your digestive organs are in no condition to take care of large quantities of food.

Drink plenty of pure, cold water. It allays the fever, stimulates the kidneys to action and opens up the pores of the skin. Keep the bowels open with Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

Take three doses of Dr. Miles' Nervine per day, and if you cannot sleep, take an extra dose at bed time. To further control the fever and to overcome the peculiar aches and pains of grip, use Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. They act quickly and effectually and no bad effects result from their use. These remedies have been thoroughly tested more than a million times and their efficiency is thoroughly established. They never fail to give relief.

Dr. Miles' Remedies can be found at any drug store and they are sold on a positive guarantee that first bottle or package benefits or money refunded.

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Who trust to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures ninety-eight per cent. of all who use it. Old forms of disease, obstinate cough, weak lungs, spitting of blood, weakness and emaciation are perfectly and permanently cured by this powerful remedy.

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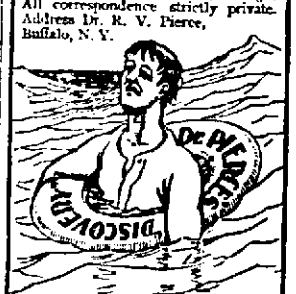

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Just a few words by way of explanation so that the people may understand the full meaning of this great semi-annual trade event.

Twice in each year, January and July, we hold these clearance sales, for the double purpose of closing out the season's stock (as under no circumstances do we carry our goods from one season to another), and of sharing with the people the profits of the season's business. We have made our profits already. We have, in former sales, surprised this community by the magnitude of our bargains. In this sale there is a complete collapse of prices throughout the house. The ruthless knife of reduction has been applied with equal severity, equal precision in every department. An early selection counts for much, as first comers fare the best.

$6.00 Men's Suits, one-third off	$4.00
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$7.50 Men's Suits, one-third off	$5.00
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$10.00 Men's Suits, one-third off	$6.67
$12.50 Men's Suits, one-third off	$8.37
$14.00 Men's Suits, one-third off	$9.34
$16.00 Men's Suits, one-third off	$10.67
$18.00 Men's Suits, one-third off	$12.00
$2.00 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$1.34
$2.50 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$1.67
$2.75 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$1.84
$3.00 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$2.00
$3.50 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$2.34
$4.00 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$2.67
$4.50 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$3.00
$5.00 Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, one-third off	$3.34
$1.50 Men's Duck Coats, one-third off	$1.00
$2.00 Men's Duck Coats, one-third off	$1.34
$2.25 Men's Duck Coats, one-third off	$1.50
$2.50 Men's Duck Coats, one-third off	$1.67
$3.00 Men's Duck Coats, one-third off	$2.00

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From Ft. Wayne to	Leave	Arrive
Valparaiso and Chicago	* 3 30 am	* 5 10 am
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New York and Wash'tn	* 5 30 am	* 2 25 am
Youngst'n and Pittsb'g	* 5 30 am	* 2 25 am
Mansfield and Lima	*12 01 am	†11 30 am
Canton and Pittsburg	*12 01 am	* 4 00 pm
Valparaiso and Chicago	† 7 30 am	†10 30 pm
Valparaiso and Chicago	†12 15 pm	†12 30 pm
Crestline and Pittsburg	†12 40 pm	* 1 25 am
Plymouth and Chicago	* 4 10 pm	* 7 35 pm
Lima and Crestline	† 7 00 am	† 7 30 am
New York and Wash'tn	* 7 45 pm	* 4 00 pm
Pittsburg & Phila	* 7 45 pm	* 4 00 pm
Pittsburg & Phila	* 9 30 pm	* 4 30 am
Pittsburg & Phila	* 4 20 pm	*10 10 am
New York and Wash'tn	* 4 20 pm	*10 10 am
Valparaiso and Chicago	*10 15 am	* 4 15 pm
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GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA RY. In effect Dec. 2, 1900.

NORTH BOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and north	[illegible]
† " " " "	[illegible]
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†From Richmond arrives	3 02 p.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

*For Richmond and Cincinnati	7 05 a.m.
† " " "	[illegible]
† " " "	12 25 p.m.
†From Grand Rapids arrives	6 50 p.m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

WABASH

Wabash Time Table in Effect June 3rd, 1900.

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily	5 50 a.m.
No. 6 New England Fast Mail daily	11 45 a.m.
No. 24 Atlantic Express—daily	6 47 p.m.
No. 13 Peru Accom., daily arrive	9 73 a.m.

GOING WEST.

No. 13 Indianapolis Express—daily	5 50 a.m.
No. 1 St. Louis Express daily	9 77 a.m.
No. 5 Government Fast Mail—daily	5 40 p.m.
No. 3 St. Louis limited—daily	8 20 p.m.

Telephones—Home-Bell No. 6.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

DEPART.

No. 2 Mail and Express (except Sun.)	7 05 a.m.
No. 22 Local Freight (except Sun.)	[illegible]
No. 6 Mixed (except Sun.)	3 00 p.m.
No. 4 Robison Park Special (Sun. only)	1 00 p.m.

ARRIVE.

No. 5 Mixed (except Sun.)	11 00 a.m.
No. 3 Mail and Express (except Sun.)	3 10 p.m.
No. 21 Local Freight (except Sun.)	5 30 p.m.
No. 1 Robison Park Special (Sun. only)	10 35 a.m.

NICKEL PLATE

All trains arrive at and depart from Van Buren Street Union Passenger Station [illegible]

Uniformed Colored Porters [illegible]

[illegible]

Standard Express, No. 6	[illegible]
Nickel Plate Express, No. 2	[illegible]
Eastern Express, No. 4	[illegible]
Local Freight	[illegible]
Standard Express, No. 1	[illegible]
Western Express, No. 3	[illegible]
Nickel Plate Express, No. 5	[illegible]
Local Freight	[illegible]

Light type A. M. Dark type P. M.

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L. S. & M. S. TIME CARD. In effect Dec. 2, 1900.

NORTHBOUND.	DEPART.
No. 441 Local Freight	7 50 a.m.
No. 433 Express and Mail	11 [illegible] a.m.
No. 439 Express and Mail	5 00 p.m.
SOUTHBOUND.	**ARRIVE.**
No. 436 Express and Mail	11 25 a.m.
No. 430 Express and Mail	3 00 p.m.
No. 442 Local Freight	2 00 p.m.

A. W. CRASPER, Ticket Agt.

L. E. & W. RY. TIME TABLE—

SOUTH.

No. 41 Except Sunday	7.10 a.m.
No. 43 except Sunday	4.35 p.m.
No. 45 Sunday Only	4.35 p.m.
No. 1?? Local Freight	4.00 a.m.

NORTH.

No. 42 Except Sunday	11 40 a.m.
No. 44 Sunday Only	11.30 a.m.
No. 4? Except Sunday	12.22 p.m.
No. 14? Local Freight	4.00 p.m.

C. F. Daly, G. P. A., Indianapolis. O. W. Crasper, Ticket Agt.

DEATH'S RECORD OF THE DAY

MRS. LILLIAN M. COOMBS CALLED FROM EARTH.

Mrs. Helena Wink Answers the Dread Summons—Other Deaths and Funeral Notices.

Mrs. Lillian M. Coombs, widow of the late John M. Coombs, passed into everlasting life at her home, 186 West Berry street, at 8 o'clock this morning.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be private.

WINK.

Mrs. Helena Wink, of 55 Madison street, died this morning from paralysis at the age of seventy-four years. Mrs. Wink was a native of Germany, and was the widow of the late John Wink. One daughter, Mrs. Ernest Kemp, of 55 Madison street, survives.

The funeral announcement will be made later.

BARRETT.

Mrs. Rachel M. Barrett died Saturday at her home in Cedar Creek township, at the age of 77 years, 11 months and 0 days. She was born in Licking county, Ohio, February 10, 1823, the daughter of Thomas and Hannah Larmore, who were natives of Pennsylvania.

She came to Fort Wayne in 1849, and on September 7, 1851, was united in marriage to William H. Barrett, who passed from earth October 19, 1894. To this union was born three children, all of whom survive—James L. Barrett, who resides with his mother at the old home; Mrs. John Rapp, of Lake township, and Mrs. Francis Forgan, of New York city. A sister and a brother also survive. They are Mrs. Hannah Butts, of Lake township, and Thomas Larmore, of Fort Wayne. Mrs. Barrett was a most estimable Christian woman, having, together with her late husband, united with the M. E. church in 1863, and during her long years of illness her Bible has been her constant and comforting companion.

Funeral services were held Monday from the residence and later from Wesley chapel, in Eel River township.

PATTEN.

Gladys L. Patten, an inmate of the Indiana school for feeble-minded youth, died at that institution yesterday from chronic catarrhal jaundice, at the age of thirteen years, eight months and fifteen days. The child's parents reside in Hamilton county, where the remains were shipped for interment.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Lopshire.—Funeral services of Clarence Isaac Lopshire will be held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence, 214 Calhoun street, and at 2 o'clock from Simpson M. E. church.

Stier.—Funeral services of Mrs. Henry Stier will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from the residence, on Lafayette street, and at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic church.

Sister M. Tarcunda.—Funeral services of Sister M. Tercunda will be held Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the chapel of St. Joseph's hospital.

SHE MADE A FEW REMARKS

ACTING MAYOR TANCEY HEARS SOME ORATORY.

Another Raid Made on Gamblers—Boys Arrested for Thievery—The Fictitious Name Abuse.

Justice Tancey again presided at police court this morning and his troubles multiplied as the session advanced. It was easy picking for his honor as long as he had nothing to do but bite the ends off envelopes and pull out large wads of money as forfeit for the appearance of a batch of gamblers, but when Miss Jennie Chapman turned loose her phonograph works on the judge and just told him how it was, he began to pale. As Miss Chapman proceeded and had got about as far in the history of the Chapman family as the year 14 before the flood, without ever skipping a word or putting in a comma, the judge's face commenced to assume the appearance of an interrogation point and before the stage of the burning of Rome was reached he fell over in a dead faint. When he recovered sufficiently, he managed to learn that Frank Chapman had been arrested last evening for beating his sister. The brother said in his own defense that his sister is crazy and had been sent home as incurable by the hospital authorities at Richmond, Indianapolis, and several other places. She is exceedingly aggravating and sometimes it is necessary to use force and sometimes administer chastisement to control her. He admitted having chastised her, but said it was not done in anger, but purely for corrective purposes. He supports his mother and sister and admits to having had a great deal of trouble on his sister's account, who is continually running to the police station to have somebody arrested. Other testimony was introduced, but nothing was adduced more serious than the defendant's own admissions. He was discharged with the admonition to conduct the affairs of his household in such a manner in the future as not to require the interference of the officers.

Thomas Underwood admitted that he was drunk when arrested, but said that he would be good if allowed to go. The officers interposed an objection and stated that he had made lots of similar promises before, but he invariably forgot all about them and when filled up persisted in posing on Calhoun street as the great human tank. Humane Officer Schlaudroff said he was better off in jail than out, as he is abusive to his family and does not provide for them. He was fined $3 and costs.

Victor Rice was charged with being drunk, to which charge he plead[e]d guilty. While out on a tear yesterday he took a horse and buggy belonging to Alice Casteel and drove around town with it. He returned the rig to the Fruit House, where he had found it, and was there met by the owner. While wrangling with her the officer appeared and placed him under arrest. He begged loyally to get off; said he would forswear booze in every shape and reform all round. The justice said he admired reformation in anyone and hoped that he would not forget to mend his ways. As a reminder he would fine him $1 and costs and whenever he again felt sporty he could look back on this occasion and remember what it cost him, which would be a great help to him in his reformation scheme. Victor settled.

Arthur Sites, aged 13; Earl Arnold, aged 15, and August Fordham, aged 11, were charged with stealing copper boilers from several places on Oakley street and selling them at Bash's. Sites, who is a real bright and well dressed young fellow, told a very straight story, in which he generously gave his companions credit for doing all the stealing. He was getting along famously and made a great impression on the judge, who in a minute or two would have loaned him a dollar, when the superintendent of police and Officer Pappert interposed and said that the gentle Arthur had been up before and that his father had previously settled for his misdeeds. Arthur at first denied everything, but finally had to give in to overwhelming testimony. The judge then shoved his money way down deep in his trousers' pocket and looked real fierce as he administered a lecture to the boys. He said that on account of their tender age he would not commit them, but would place them under bond of $50 each and allow them to go on their own recognizance during good behavior. He assured them, however, that if they were caught in a similar scrape again he would take measures to have the whole batch sent to the house of correction.

H. H. Hill, Louis Belden and Albert Riley were arrested in a gambling room over 27 Calhoun street. Riley forfeited $21 and the others $16 each.

Fred J. Lane, Richard Crotty and Joseph Mack were arrested at No. 2 West Wayne for gambling. Lane forfeited $21 and the others $16 each. All the names given were fictitious.

The practice of giving fictitious names, by the way, is a very pernicious one and in the interest of justice and for the preservation of the good names of innocent people, should not be tolerated, much less encouraged by the officers. Only this morning a gentleman, Mr. William Henline, of 30 Pritchard street, called at The Sentinel office to state that the William Henline arrested for gambling night before last was not himself. The directory gives but one William Henline and suspicion would naturally rest upon him. The officers when they arrest well known persons and make affidavit that the person arrested was other than who he is generally known as, are guilty of perjury. Or, when a person whose identity is personally known to the officer, and such officer willfully conceals such identity and makes affidavit that it is some other person, such officer is guilty of perjury and could and probably should be prosecuted. The prosecutor is equally blameable for tolerating the abuse in question. It is decidely wrong for professional law breakers to be continually getting other persons into trouble and disrepute, and that, too, with the aid and connivance of the officers whose sworn duty it is to protect the innocent and punish the offending.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

Two pairs of shoes were found on the street by a lady living at 60 Madison street.

The city council will meet tonight in regular session.

A bicycle was found last night on the street by the police and another wheel was reported stolen this morning from the front of the Transfer restaurant.

A case of smallpox has been reported from 47 LaSalle street.

Patrick E. Cox has been granted permits to erect two new frame houses on Eliza street, at a cost of $1,600 each.

The board of safety held a meeting last night and investigated the charges made against Officer Murphy by Frank Thomas. There was absolutely no evidence before the board pointing to any improper conduct on the part of Murphy, save the unsupported statement of Thomas that his wife and the officer had maintained a clandestine correspondence. They both denied the charge in the most vigorous manner and the officer was completely exhonorated.

Mrs. Chapman, of Lafayette street, asked to have her husband locked up, as she was afraid he would do her bodily injury.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—During the early part of today's session the wheat market was rather heavy under the influence of lower cables in response to the bulge here yesterday. Heavy northwest receipts were also a depressing factor. May opened $\frac{1}{8}$@$\frac{3}{8}$c lower at $74\frac{5}{8}$c to $74\frac{3}{8}$c, rallied to 75c and fell to $74\frac{5}{8}$@$74\frac{3}{4}$c. Local receipts were 107 cars, 4 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 303 cars, against 366 last week and 218 a year ago.

May corn opened a shade to $\frac{1}{4}$c lower at $38\frac{5}{8}$c to $38\frac{1}{4}$@$38\frac{1}{2}$c and sold to $38\frac{5}{8}$@$38\frac{3}{4}$c with wheat and on the receipts, 510 cars, none of which were graded contract. There was no pressure to sell, however, and the market rallied to $38\frac{7}{8}$c.

Oats were stagnant. May opened unchanged to a shade down at $25\frac{1}{8}$ to 25@$25\frac{1}{8}$c and sold to 25c. Receipts were 343 cars.

Provisions opened weak on heavy hog receipts and a drop in hog prices at the stock yards. May pork opened $17\frac{1}{2}$c lower at $13.75 and sold to $13.90. May lard 5c down at $7.37\frac{1}{2}$, selling to $7.40, and May ribs 5c depressed at $7.00.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Jan., $71\frac{5}{8}$c; Feb., $71\frac{7}{8}$c; May, $74\frac{1}{8}$@$74\frac{1}{4}$c.

Corn—Jan., $36\frac{5}{8}$c; Feb., $36\frac{7}{8}$@37c; March, $37\frac{3}{8}$c; May, $38\frac{1}{2}$@$38\frac{5}{8}$c.

Oats—Jan., $23\frac{3}{4}$c; May, $24\frac{7}{8}$@25c.

Pork—Jan., $13.85; May, $13.60.

Lard—Jan., $7.25; Feb., $7.25; March, $7.30; May, $7.35@$7.37\frac{1}{2}$.

Ribs—Jan., $6.82\frac{1}{2}$; May, $6.95.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.72; No. 1, $1.71; May, $1.72.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; market generally about steady. Good to prime steers, $5.35@6.10; poor to medium, $3.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.60; cows, $2.75@4.25; heifers, $2.75@4.60; canners, $2.00@2.70; bulls, $2.65@4.25; calves, $2.75@5.75; Texas fed steers, $4.00@4.80; Texas grass steers, $3.30@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.85.

Hogs—Receipts today, 41,000; tomorrow, 28,000; left over, 3,713. Market 10@15c lower; top, $5.30. Mixed and butchers, $5.00@5.30; good to choice heavy, $5.15@5.30, rough heavy, $5.00@5.10; light, $5.00@5.25; bulk of sales, $5.15@5.25.

"Failing to find relief from the grip with old methods, I took Dr. Miles' Pain Pills, Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills and was permanently cured."—Gust. Egan, Jackson, Mich.

"After suffering for two months from a severe attack of grip, I found quick relief and a lasting cure by using Dr. Miles' Nervine, Pain Pills and Heart Cure."—Harry Abbott, Cincinnati, Ohio.

"Grip made me very weak and nervous, with tightness of chest and headache. Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nervine gave me quick relief."—Mrs. Clarinda Butler, W. Wheeling, O.

"I had grip three months; could not sleep; pain all over and headaches very bad. Dr. Miles' Nervine, Pain Pills and Liver Pills made me well."—Mrs. E. C. Bowlby, Waterloo, Ind.

"Grip robbed me of my sleep and I was nearly crazed with neuralgia and headache. Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nervine cured me."—Mrs. Pearl Bush, Holland, Mich.

"My stomach was affected by grip and I could eat nothing but crackers and milk. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and the trouble disappeared."—Mrs. J. Lindsey, Montrose, Minn.

"When I was prostrated with grip and my heart and nerves were in bad shape, Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure gave me new life and health."—Mrs. Geo. Colle, Elgin, Ill.

"I had been in bed three weeks with grip when my husband brought me Dr. Miles' Nervine, Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills. I was cured."—Mrs. J. Reinier, Franklin, Ind.

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When traveling is to choose the route that offers low rates and good service. This the Nickel Plate road does to all points east or west. This popular line will be the most available route this coming summer to Niagara Falls and the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo, which opens May 1st., and continues until November 1st.

Write, wire, 'phone or call on nearest agent. C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind.

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Fancy vests at half price at Patterson's.

Last evening about twenty members of A. O. U. W. No. 50 called at the home of Alphonse Bobbe, at 71 East Superior street, to felicitate him upon his fifty-fourth birthday anniversary. They also presented him with a gold headed cane in commemoration of his fifteenth election to the office of treasurer of the lodge. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Flannel night shirts discounted 10 per cent at Patterson's.

RECOVERIES FROM GRIP.

Mrs. E. I. Masters, at her home in Monitor, Ind., used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills to cure after effects of grip.

Mrs. A. E. Lopeer, in the little town of Modelia, Minn., used Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills and was well in a few days.

George J. Flannery was relieved of the awful pains in his head in fifteen minutes by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Now he is rapidly recovering at his home in Buffalo, N. Y.

J. C. Helfrey, foreman at the Westinghouse factory in East Pittsburg, had a severe attack of grip, but he used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and was soon back in his place.

Rev. C. Body was in a serious condition at his home in St. Paris, O., but Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills pulled him through all right.

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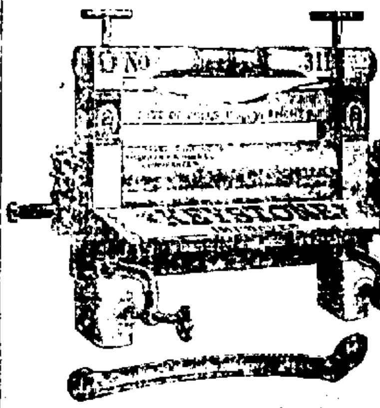

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For 1901, issued by the Nickel Plate road, will be mailed to any one sending their address to the General Passenger Agent at Cleveland, Ohio.

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Smoking jackets go at half price at Patterson's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sunderland are the happy parents of a new son.

Mackintoshes discounted 10 per cent at Patterson's.

25 PER CENT. OFF

All Winter Clothing one-fourth off.

Make your own selections. Deduct your own discount. Not a price ticket has been changed.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits.

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Hats, Caps and Furnishings.

Everything at 25 per cent discount, except Clay Worsteds.

All Winter Clothing

The marked prices here have been guaranteed all Winter to be the lowest in Fort Wayne. Nobody doubts that they are.

But the Winter has been warm, and we have too much stock. We are cutting these prices one-fourth to get rid of it.

Go through our store and pick out what you want in it. Take a quarter off the price. You will get the best bargain ever offered under any condition in Fort Wayne.

Wolff Brothers.

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Most people are gray [illegible] their hair fades, is coarse, or falls out before it should. The young matron of forty sees the frost stealing into her hair or else it is losing its fresh look, or growing thin, short or faded, and she is showing signs of ageing before her time. This should not be.

HAY'S HAIR-HEALTH is a hair food, nourishing the roots, forcing new growth, restoring freshness and beauty, and positively turning the gray hair back to its youthful color. Not a dye. Does not soil scalp or clothing; is not greasy or sticky; does not rub off.

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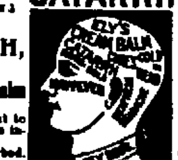

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THIEME, The Tailor,
39 E. Columbia St.

Mrs. Joseph Schlink, of New Haven, reported the theft of a small package of merchandise, which was taken from her buggy, standing in front of the Fruit House.

SHOP AND RAIL

FOREMAN KOEHLMEYER RECEIVES A FINE PRESENT.

AN UNFORTUNATE SHOPMAN

FRED EGGEMAN LOSES A PORTION OF A THUMB.

JOHN GRUBER COMING HOME

INJURIES RECEIVED AT FIRE ARE NOT SERIOUS.

Ed Koehlmeyer carried a handsome new gold watch with him when he reported for duty at the electric works this morning. The time piece is a present from Mrs. Koehlmeyer, who placed it at the side of her husband's plate, where he found it when he seated himself at the breakfast table. Mr. Koehlmeyer was thirty-six years old today and the watch came as a birthday present. He is foreman of the foundry department at the electric works.

THE KEWANEE FIRE.

Sebastian Koch, who has charge of the work of installing a gas plant at Kawanee, Ill., for the Kerr Murray Manufacturing company, has informed the company of the burning of the Commercial hotel in that city and the narrow escape of himself, John V. Gruber and Joseph Ebner, all of this city. As stated in The Sentinel yesterday, Mr. Gruber was injured by jumping from a window, but not seriously, and he will come home tonight or tomorrow. Messrs. Koch and Ebner escaped injury, but lost their clothing and some personal goods in the fire. They have been furnished with other clothing and will remain at Kewanee until they complete the gas plant.

HAD A THUMB MANGLED.

Fred Eggeman, an apprentice at the Bass machine shop, will be off duty a week or two, nursing a lame hand. Yesterday the thumb of his left hand was caught in the gearing of a machine the young man was operating and the end of the member was torn off. Fred is the son of Chairman Peter Eggemann, of the board of public works.

TO ENCOURAGE INSURANCE.

The Union Pacific road makes the announcement that it will bear a part of the cost of accident insurance policies taken out by its employes. The company will pay one-third of the premium on policies held by conductors, engineers, firemen, brakemen, baggagemen, switchmen, yard foremen and bridge and building carpenters; for all other employes it will pay one-fourth, their positions being less hazardous.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Fred Rolph, of the electric works, is sick with the grip.

Claim Agent J. L. Head, of the Wabash, was in the city yesterday.

Martin Didion, of the Bass blacksmith shop, is sick with the grip.

The Union Fast Freight line has appointed Thomas Drennan agent at Kankakee.

Noah Patton is now a Pennsylvania brakeman. He began work in that line yesterday.

Joseph Hesler, a machinist, reported for work at the Kerr Murray shops yesterday after a week's sickness.

William Sherbondy, the electrician, went to Pittsburg yesterday on business for the Pennsylvania company.

William Paul, general foreman of the Wabash shops, and J. W. McCoy, erecting foreman, are sick with the grip.

R. Hoyles, municipal electrician of Garrett, Ind., was in the city yesterday and called at the electric works.

J. F. Guebard, watchman at the Walton avenue crossing of the Pittsburg road, is sick and absent from his post.

Pittsburg Engineers B. F. Campbell and A. Wilde and Firemen L. M. Kyler and A. D. Todd are sick and off duty.

After an illness of six or seven days, Yard Conductor William Hayes reported for duty on the Pittsburg this morning.

Charles Green, a construction man in the employ of the Fort Wayne Electric company, came in off the road yesterday.

Nickel Plate Brakemen C. A. Seymour and L. Schoonover, who were taking a few days' rest, reported for work yesterday.

The Erie Railway, on Feb. 12, will commence a weekly series of settlers' excursions to the west at very low rates.

D. F. Crawford, motive power superintendent of the Pennsylvania Northwestern system, has returned from Pittsburg.

Pittsburg Fireman W. A. Parvin is nursing a lame foot. Yesterday the member was injured by a chunk of coal falling upon it.

The Santa Fe will make an experiment in manufacturing its own lamps, headlights, buckets, oil-cans and other articles of tinware and copper.

Homer Hollingsworth, late of Ellwood, Ind., has taken the foremanship of the Eagle laundry, of which ex-Conductor Metzner is the proprietor.

Passenger Engineer Peter Carter and Passenger Fireman Dayton Baltzell reported for duty on the Pittsburg road this morning. They were sick a few days.

The employes of the Delaware, Susquehanna and Schuylkill company threaten to go on a strike unless their demands for an advance in wages are granted.

C. E. Burr, chief inspector of the Pennsylvania police department, returned to his home yesterday after being the guest over Sunday of Captain and Mrs. H Stoll.

On Jan. 15 J. A. Droge became superintendent of the Pennsylvania and New York divisions of the Lehigh Valley, succeeding O. C. Esser, resigned on account of ill health.

Vandalia stock seems to be in demand in railway financial circles. The Indianapolis Journal says that a number of the stockholders have been offered "par" for their stock.

General Manager Green, of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern, announces the appointment of Edward Barton as general attorney of the road, vice Robert E. Hammill, deceased.

Walter B. Calloway, chief rate clerk in the passenger department of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, has been appointed advertising agent, to succeed Mr. Clark, who retires on Feb 1.

The Pennsylvania provided a special train from Hobart to Brookline today for the Owens funeral party. The deceased, Mr. Owens, was extensively engaged in manufacturing brick at Hobart.

F. G. Olds is in Cleveland attending a meeting of the advisory board of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association. He represents the western division of the Fort Wayne road on the board.

The New York Central on Saturday commenced selling tickets on several of its branches at 2 cents per mile, the same rate as on its main line, the reduction being made on branches where travel is heavy.

The steel girders for the new addition to the electric works are still lacking and the work of building is greatly delayed thereby. The steel manufacturers make no definite promises concerning delivery.

A large sub-transformer, the latest invention by General Manager J. J. Wood in that line, was photographed at the electric works this morning. The picture will take a prominent place in the new catalogue soon to be issued.

At a meeting of the various union orders of the railway employes of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad company, held at Joplin on Saturday, resolutions were unanimously adopted against legislation looking to a reduction of passenger fares.

Engineer Hoffman and Fireman Pierce, of the local service, took out the Peru accommodation on the Wabash this morning. Engineer J. H. McClure, the regular accommodation engineer, is making a trial trip with his newly repaired engine on the local run.

George Petgen, the Grand Rapids and Indiana brakeman, who is suffering from stomach disease, is not improving and his condition is causing anxiety to relatives and friends. Mr. Petgen is a member of the local lodge of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

C. D. O'Rourke and L. J. Cox, plumbers, and Frank X. Miller and John Rost, blacksmiths, who had been sick, reported for work at the Pittsburg shops this morning. New names on the sick list today are J. Reidel, E. H. W. Dornte, J. W. Baker, Henry Minncker, J. H. Kamm, Hugh Hogan, jr., and Charles Herr.

Fred Witte, of the Wabash blacksmith shop, has returned from the railway hospital at Peru and will soon resume work in the shop. The injured finger—the index of the left hand—was taken off at the knuckle joint at the hospital. Mr. Witte says the hand is tender yet, but he is ready to go to work whenever the shop officials call upon him.

Conductors Joseph Morgan, W. L. Peterson, D. Howley, C. E. Keehan, P. J. Sullivan and George Horton, Brakemen C. S. Orcutt and C. L. Morrison and Fireman A. P. Collins, who had been off duty for various reasons, reported for work on the Pittsburg road yesterday. Fireman C. Barrick and Brakeman C. W. Bachman are off duty.

John R. Walsh, the Chicago banker, who owns the Southern Indiana railroad, denies that he contemplates extending the road to Louisville. Mr. Walsh's road now extends south as far as Seymour, and makes connection with the Pennsylvania line for Louisville. Mr. Walsh does not wish to disturb these friendly relations.

AMENDMENT IS VOTED DOWN

BARBER SHOPS WILL NOT CLOSE ALL DAY HOLIDAYS.

The Barbers' Union Challenges the Eligibility of President of Trades Council.

At the meeting of the Barbers' union held Monday night the amendment to its constitution providing for the closing of union shops all day on legal holidays, instead of half a day only, as is the present practice, was discussed at considerable length and the arguments at times were quite heated. The opposition of the boss barbers to the amendment had warm supporters. The contention of the bosses was that the movement was inexpedient and would result in a material loss of money as well as great inconvenience to customers. Hotel shops were very strong in their opposition. It was supposed, however, that the amendment would carry and the surprise was great when the vote was taken and it was found that it lacked four votes of having the constitutional two-thirds majority. The vote stood 26 for and 19 against the amendment.

This matter being disposed of, a sensation was created by the introduction of the following resolution, which was adopted:

"Whereas, Barbers' union No. 14 has positive information from no less a personage than Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, that the so-called Federal Labor union of this city is not a bona fide organization, not having made application for a charter to the American Federation of Labor, with or without its former number, 6620, which expired January 14, 1901, and,

"Whereas, One of the delegates of said organization, so-called, to the council has been elected president, and,

"Whereas, We believe that said Federal Labor union has no legal right to be represented in the Trades and Labor council, and therefore said delegate from aforesaid organization is illegally holding his office as president of the Trades and Labor council; therefore be it,

"Resolved, That we ask the Trades and Labor council to take such action in the matter as will set things aright."

This resolution is directed against Claude F. Baker, present president of the Trades and Labor council. Mr. Baker, at the time of his election a few weeks ago, was a delegate from the Federal Labor union, which at that time was operating under an American Federation of Labor charter which had expired. In this connection it will be remembered by union labor men that the Trades and Labor council itself is not working under a Federation charter. It formerly held a charter, but early last summer it was voted to return the same and it was turned toward the wall. It was argued at that time that a central delegate body should be independent of a superior body and be the sole judge of the proper administration of its affairs. That sentiment prevailed and under existing circumstances it is doubtful whether Samuel Gompers or anyone else has any voice in saying who should or should not be its officers. In addition to this position it will also be remembered that Mr. Baker was in good standing in an affiliated branch when elected president of the council.

Mrs. E. P. Green has recovered from an attack of the grip at Canaseraga, N. Y., by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

Among the victims of the grip epidemic now so prevalent, F. Coyle is now recovering at Canton, O., by the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

W. E. Nihells, of St. Louis, Mo., who was down with grip, is reported much improved. He used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

The friends of Mrs. L. Denison will be pleased to learn of her recovery from grip at her home in Bay City, Mich., through the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

Everybody says that J. W. Udy is looking splendid since his recovery from the grip at his home in Des Moines, Iowa. They all know that Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. DeWaele, who has passed the three-score mile stone, had a time with the grip, but when seen at his home in Roscommon, Mich., the other day, he said Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

At nearly three score and ten Mrs. Galen Humphrey was fighting against odds when the grip attacked he, but she took Dr. Miles' Nervine and now her neighbors in Wareham, Mass., remark on how well she is looking.

After an illness of five weeks from the grip, Mrs. Harriett Jackson is again about and looking fine. She began taking Dr. Miles Nervine after the fourth week. Her home is in Bowling Green, Mo.

K. P. lodge No. 116 will give a smoker and luncheon this evening. Next Friday night No. 116 and No. 101 will go to Findlay on a special train and will be accompanied by a band.

OLD FASHIONED COLD CURES

Are going out of date. The busy man of today cannot afford to lie abed a whole day and undergo the martyrdom of the sweating process. Krause's Cold Cure are capsules of convenient size, and can be taken without danger while performing your usual duties. They cure in twenty-four hours. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

IT GIRDLES THE GLOBE.

The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Felons, Aches, Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Only infallible Pile cure. 25c. a box at Dreier & Bros.

Charles McCulloch, who has been suffering from an attack of lumbago, was able to resume his business duties today after an enforced vacation of several days.

A SIMPLE COLD CURE.

Krause's Cold Cure, in capsule form, is easy to take and does not affect the head or hearing like quinine. Try it today. Price 25c. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

The finest 5c cigar ever made or sold in Fort Wayne is the Eclipse. At all dealers.

SETTLERS' RATES.

Via the Nickel Plate road. Beginning with Tuesday, Feb. 12th. Low rate Settlers' tickets will be on sale every Tuesday to and including April 30th to Oregon, Montana, Washington and all points in the Northwest.

Write, wire, 'phone or call on nearest agent. C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Fort Wayne, Ind.

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Think of buying a Stein Block suit for $9.60 when the cheapest suit made by Stein Block costs $11 at wholesale.

REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

WANTED.

An enterprising man, with a small capital, to take hold of an established retail business. Rare chance for the right party. For particulars, call or address, J. B. Monning, Odd Fellows' Block, Fort Wayne. 9-12

"Strong and hearty boy, is it, and no pain? That's good!"

The joy of a new arrival in the family is usually overcast by the shadow of the pain and discomfort the expectant mother must bear.

If she knew of and used "MOTHER'S FRIEND," this would be all dispelled. Tell your friends about it, as being a simple liniment, exclusively for external use, that relaxes the muscles so that pain and suffering are unknown.

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And be the first on the ice with a new pair of our

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OUR BUYERS RETURN

FROM THE SEMI-ANNUAL TRADE SALES OF NEW .... FURNITURE. . . . .

From twenty acres of floor surface in the Exposition buildings, covered only with samples of the spring lines of Furniture, the value just of these samples aggregating two and a half millions of dollars, we have selected for the citizens of Fort Wayne all of the choicest, tastiest and most desirable novelties for the coming year.

As heretofore, we shall have the sole agency for this city of the leading manufacturers of Fine Furniture, enabling us to give you a more desirable selection from which to choose your purchases than can be found elsewhere.

Our Spring Lines of Carpets

Are now also ready for your inspection. The new patterns and new colorings for the coming season are particularly attractive. As usual we shall be the only house in Fort Wayne showing the full line of the celebrated

Park Mills Extra Super Ingrain. . .

The best Ingrain Carpet known to the trade.

FOSTER FURNITURE & CARPET CO.

ROSY CHEEKS.

Do you want them? Do you simply want to glow with health? Do you want to eat well, sleep well and work well? Try Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound. Sold by Dreier & Bro., corner Calhoun and Columbia streets.

Will Bostick has ordered of Louis Ohnhaus, of Buffalo, a new Thomas motor-cycle, which is said to be an improvement over all others and will be the finest in the city.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

WILL YOU INVEST

In one of our Vests or Vestwos at just half price? Think of it! $5 Vests at $2.50, $4 Vests at $2, $3 Vests at $1.50, $2 Vests at $1. Also Smoking Jackets at half price
The bargains that we closed out while East in Suits and Overcoats have stirred up the town. Come and see the Values.

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We have Decided to Continue Our

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New merchandise will be put on sale in unlimited quantities, and every article in our many departments will be priced down to the lowest possible mark.

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Go farther and buy more here than you ever dreamed of.

See These Unmatchable Bargains

New spring percales, choice styles, 36 inches wide, price should be 12½c a yard; we make them
8 1-3c A YARD.

New spring cambric, 30 inches wide, selected styles in the new blues and reds, price should be 10c a yard; here
7¼c A YARD.

Another lot of those desirable outing flannels, light and dark styles, at
4½c A YARD.

Full size fleeced cotton blankets, white, tan and gray.
48c A PAIR.

Extra large fleeced cotton blankets, white, tan and gray.
79c A PAIR.

Zephyr and Madras ginghams, all the 15c, 20c and 25c qualities in one lot at
12½c A YARD.

Good ginghams in staple and fancy styles,
4½c A YARD.

Heavy Russia crash, 16 inches wide, extra value,
9c A YARD.

Linen huck towels, size 19x38, special price
12c EACH.

White crochet quilts, Marseilles patterns, $1.00 value,
71c EACH.

72-inch cream table damask, choice patterns, 65c value,
41c A YARD.

72-inch cream table damask, new patterns, 75c value,
50c A YARD.

Bleached muslin, full yard wide, worth 6¼c,
5c A YARD.

Unbleached muslin, full yard wide, special values at
5c, 5½c and 6c A YARD.

CLOAKS, SUITS, FURS.

Unheard-of price reductions on everything in cloaks, suits, furs, wrappers, dressing sacques, skirts, mackintoshes, etc. Nothing to be carried over in this department that price will sell.

DO NOT MISS THE MONEY-SAVING CHANCES
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The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, JAN. 22, 1901.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Jan. 22.— Forecast for Indiana—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; moderate temperature; southerly wind.

J. M. Singmaster is transacting business in Chicago.

E. R. Gessman is recovering from an attack of influenza.

H. A. Bruggemann is transacting business in Hicksville, O.

At a meeting of the Caledonian society last evening resolutions of sympathy were passed on the death of Hon. R. C. Bell, who was an honorary member of the society.

Mrs. Frank Fox and Mrs. Adam LaMar will entertain the ladies of the Order of the Eastern Star and friends at a progressive rice picking tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fox, 17 East Williams street, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Franke, of 129 Broadway, was pleasantly surprised by a party of friends last evening, who called to remind her of the thirty-ninth anniversary of her birth. There were about forty guests in the party and an evening of great pleasure was passed.

NEW BERMUDA ONIONS.
FIRST SHIPMENT.

New Bermuda Onions, 12c qut.
California Celery, very nice, 7c stalk.
Fresh Hot-House Lettuce, 16c lb.
Cape Cod Cranberries, 10c qut.
Extra Selects, large frying, 25c can
Standards, best stewing, 20c can.
WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

A meeting of the Allen County Bar association will be held in the circuit court room at 10 o'clock a. m., January 23rd, to take appropriate action in relation to the death of Hon. R. C. Bell. All members of the profession are requested to be present.

ALLEN ZOLLARS,
President.

January 22, 1901.

FLOUR, POTATOES, MEATS, BUTTER AND EGGS.

Garrett Flour, best quality, $3.75 bbl.
All Best City Flour, $4.00 bbl.
Best Michigan Potatoes, 45c bush.
Nice Home-Grown Potatoes, 40c bush.
Large Yellow Onions, 25c peck.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 40c peck.
Best No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, 11c lb.
Pic-Nic Hams and Shoulders, 8c lb.
Fine English Breakfast Bacon, 12½c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 20c dozen.
Best Country Roll Butter, 24c lb.
WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

JUST FOR FUN.

Fancy vests go at half price at Patterson's.

FRESH VEGETABLES—POULTRY.

Fresh Florida Head Lettuce, 17c lb.
Fresh Hot House Lettuce, 15c lb.
Fresh Oyster Plant, 4c bunch.
Long or Round Radishes, 2½c bunch.
Fresh Horse Raddish, 4c bunch.
Fresh Southern Spinach, 25c pk.
Fresh Southern Egg Plant, 12½c each.
Crescent Canned Asparagus, 25c can
Michigan Celery, 15c and 25c bunch
Michigan Celery, Extra Fine, 35c bunch.
Large Cape Cod Cranberries, 10c qt.
Young, Fat, Dressed Geese, 9c lb.
Young, Fat, Dressed Chickens, 10c
Young, Fat, Dressed Ducks, 11c lb.
GREATEST GROCERY CO.,
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of the Wayne Stamp company, is this day dissolved by the mutual consent of all the partners. The undersigned J. L. Leeper and E. C. Lincoln withdraw from said partnership. The business heretofore carried on by said firm will be continued by the undersigned Herbert S. Fickes.

J. L. LEEPER.
H. S. FICKES.
E. C. LINCOLN.
w 2t d 15-22.

ATTENTION, MACCABEES!

All members of Wayne Tent, No. 54, and Mad Anthony Tent are respectfully requested to meet at the hall of Wayne Tent, corner Calhoun and Wayne streets, next Wednesday at 12:30 sharp to attend the funeral of our late brother, Sir Knight C. I. Lopshire.

J. C. WILLIAMS, Com.
JOHN W. HALL, R. K.

IMPROVEMENTS IN LAKESIDE

MANY NEW LOTS WILL BE PLACED ON MARKET.

Was Decided On at Annual Meeting of Improvement Company Monday.

The annual meeting of the Fort Wayne Land and Improvement company was held Monday afternoon in the offices of the company, in the Pixley-Long block, and the different officers were re-elected for another year. They are:

President—D. N. Foster
Vice President—W. E. Mossman.
Treasurer—G. W. Pixley.
Secretary—A. B. Howey.
Directors—G. W. Pixley, S. M. Foster, A. D. Cressler, J. W. Bell, W. E. Mossman and D. N. Foster.

A number of important improvements were decided upon, which, when completed, will add greatly to the attractiveness of Lakeside as a place of residence. The company has decided to place on sale the entire tier of lots on the east side of Walton avenue, from the Maumee river bridge to Lake avenue, and the tier on the south side of Columbia avenue, from the street railway bridge over Delta lake to Walton avenue.

The proposed improvement will necessitate the opening up of Columbia avenue through the company's land from Delta lake to Walton avenue and considerable grading will have to be done. Columbia avenue ceases to be a public thoroughfare at the Delta lake bridge, although the tracks of the traction company extend some distance beyond, the extension having been made some time ago when the old base ball grounds were located near the lake.

The cost of the contemplated improvements will be about $7,000. The new lots will be graded to a uniform heighth of six inches above the sidewalk. The extension of Columbia avenue to Walton avenue makes necessary the construction of a new bridge over Delta lake, the present bridge having been condemned as unsafe, and a substantial structure will probably replace it. The Fort Wayne Traction company holds a franchise on Columbia avenue to Walton avenue, although they have never constructed a line further than the old base ball grounds, and when the extension of the avenue is made the line will be completed to Walton avenue. The very best material will be used in the construction of the railway and the rails will be of the same heavy pattern that were laid on Columbia avenue this summer.

Work on the new improvements will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground and will be completed as rapidly as possible.

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Vice President—Louis Harber.
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Financial Secretary—John Miller.
Treasurer—W. Orth.
Board of Directors—John Suelzer, S. Becker and Frank Becker.
Collectors—B. Blank and W. Ryan.
Banner Carriers—Joseph Becker, John Becker and Charles Schellhammer.
Ushers—Charles Roth, R. Schmol and O. Hoffman.
Delegate—Charles Roth.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected, but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Roericht, Eau Claire, Wis.

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IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Senator Osborne today introduced the reapportionment bill in the senate. In the house the democrats failed to table the Kelly drainage repeal law, and it is scheduled to come up Wednesday. Representative Burns today introduced a bill to abolish the poll tax.

THOUSANDS SENT INTO EXILE.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at Dreier & Bros. Price 50c. and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

REQUIEM MASSES.

Requiem masses were sung at the Cathedral this morning in honor of the eighth anniversary of the death of the late Bishop Dwenger, and at St. Paul's church in honor of the third anniversary of the late Father Koenig. Father Durham officiated at the Cathedral. On Friday masses will be sung at the Cathedral in honor of the fifteenth anniversary of the death of Father Benoit.

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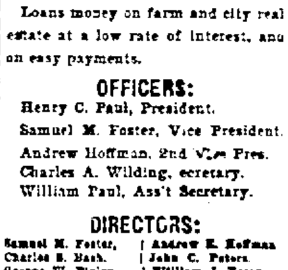

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